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WHY ELLIOTT BULBS ARE SO GOOD

Every Year Our Experts Travel 8,000 Miles to Make Your Garden Better



HE Elliott Nurseries have never been satisfied with the risks of importing bulbs through middlemen. To avoid that we do two things. First, we specify that all orders from this bulb catalog be in by July 1st, each year. That causes no inconvenience to our friends and enables us to know, shortly thereafter, just what our demand for various bulbs will be.

With this concrete information in hand, a group of Elliott experts go to Holland in person. There they visit all the large growers and all of the important private growers who have specialized in certain flowers for generations. And not only do these experts fill your orders at first hand direct from the original source—but they also test and examine every order right on the ground so that we get nothing but perfect bulbs.

This Makes Elliott Bulbs Cheaper

THIS direct method of purchasing, first of all, insures healthy bulbs of perfect breed. Secondly, it cuts down their cost to us—and to you!

Buying direct, we buy for cash. That is a saving. Testing our bulbs, we discard the poor ones before they are shipped, not after. This means no loss from waste that you must ultimately pay for. When bulbs are imported in the usual way, they pass through the hands of two dealers before they reach you, thus doubling in price. When you buy through Elliott's you not only get the advantage of our immense quantity purchases, but you cut out at least one middleman's cost, losses and profits.

Elliott Bulbs are Tested Twice

 $\mathbf{Y}_{\text{men}-\text{at a distinct saving in price.}}^{\text{OU}}$ are buying perfect bulbs that have been tested right where they grow by our own

This, however, is only half of the story. Not only are your bulbs examined and tested in Holland—they are re-examined and re-tested when they arrive here. Conditions here are different, and we must be satisfied that the bulbs that were perfect over-seas are just as perfect in this country. We prove that they are before we ship them to you!

The thousands and thousands of bulbs that are constantly grown at the Elliott Nurseries are your guarantee of a *double test*—and double satisfaction.

Anybody Can Grow Elliott Bulbs

AS a consequence, Elliott bulbs give results that frequently amaze gardeners of long experience. They are easy to grow because they are perfect bulbs to begin with. No skill or training is required to make a success of anything offered you in this catalog. All you need do is follow the simple directions that come with each order—and if you were a medal-winning garden expert, you could hardly get better results.

You can't do that with ordinary, hit-or-miss bulbs. But you can do it with Elliott's handpicked, twice-tested, guaranteed bulbs imported direct to your own order!

Whether you've grown flowers before or not, Elliott Bulbs will give you splendid flowers for a very small outlay in money—and next to no attention!

Pot Plants for May and June Delivery, 1928

For the convenience of people who wish to plant in May and June, we have prepared the following plants for delivery during these months. The majority of them are pot-grown and the others have been prepared for transplanting. Stock offered in this list will be delivered immediately on receipt of order. Bulbs and Plants offered in our Bulb Catalogue will not be delivered until Fall.

Elliott Nursery Company : : : 336 Magee Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

ANEMONE JAPONICA (Japanese Anemone)

Per 12 Per 100

†Alba. The blooms of this variety are snowy white, and are borne from August until well into November.

3 to 5 feet	\$2.50	\$18.00
+Queen Charlotte. If roses and anem-		
ones could bloom at the same time,		
this variety would be a strong rival		
of the pink La France rose, at least		
so far as excellence of color is con-		
cerned. The soft, silvery pink, com-		
bined with the substance of the		
bloom, makes this Japanese Anem-		
one of superior value for cutting	3.00	20.00
+Whirlwind. One of the latest intro-		

Troning, One of the latest millo-		
ductions in the Anemone family, but		
has made a permanent place for it-		
self. The flowers are fully as large,		
or even larger, than those of the		
other varieties, pure white, and pro-		
duce very freely	2.50	18.00

ANEMONE "HUPEHENSIS"

This dependable hardy variety in a miniature way closely resembles Anemone Japonica, grows from 18 to 24 inches high and produces in great abundance pleasing mauve-rose flowers about 1½ inches in di-ameter; it is in flower from the middle of August until late in the Fall. \$2.50-\$15.00.

ANCHUSA ITALICA (Dropmore Variety)

grand improvement on the original type of A. A grand improvement on the original type of A. italica, or Italian Alkanet, and a plant which, on ac-count of its remarkable freedom of flowering and its beautiful blue color, is sure to become one of our most popular hardy perennials. It attains a height of 5 to 6 feet and produces its pretty blue flowers, which are from 1 to 1¼ inches in diameter, through-out the entire summer. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.

NEW ASTILBE ARENDSI

This new type is the result of crossing A. Davidii with A. japonica compacta, astilboides, and A. Thun-bergii. The plants are of very vigorous growth, 2½ to 4 feet high, producing many branched, feathered heads of flowers. They prefer a half-shady, moist position in any ordinary garden soil. Arendsi, Pyramidalis. Pure white, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz

Thunbergi, Moerheimi. A new variety introduced from Europe. The panicles are extremely large, but the flowers are quite small and pure white. July. 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)

The colors are radiant with feeling, blending all the dainty fine hues with a passionate crimson that actually seems to throb with emotion. No flower-garden is complete without these; and no persuasion is necessary to induce the owner of a garden to cultivate them. They belong to the inner circle of genuine friends, tested by time and permanently loved A very pretty effect is made by blending the

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ill and the semi-	dwarf. Half-hardy perennials.
Yellow	White
Pink	Scarlet
	Copperv

		Per doz. Per 100
3 inch	pot plants	 \$1.75 \$12.00
Dwarf	mixed	 1.50 10.00

BAMBUSA JAPONICA (Metake of Gardens)

One of the best known of all the hardy Bamboos. The stems are often 15 feet high, with internodes 6 to 9 inches long, and with tapering leaves a foot long, smooth and shining above, glaucous beneath. It forms fine clumps when sheltered from the East wind, and will grow in drier situations than most Bamboos. Large plants, \$1.50 each; doz., \$15.00.

BUDDLEIA—BUTTERFLY BUSH

An attractive new introduction from China. It is considered a herbaceous shrub because part of the tops are Winter-killed; however, vigorous new growth is made in the Spring from the living stems and from the roots. Plants of this family are particu-larly valuable in that they furnish a profusion of bloom in August and September. The long, narrow panicles of bloom are sometimes a foot or more in length. In general color and effect it resembles the common lilac.

Davidi magnifica. Attractive light blue. Fine plants. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

CALIMERIS INCISA

Grows readily in any good soil, and is an extremely dainty little perennial. The flowers are white or slightly tinged wih purple and have a bronzy yellow center. I to 2 feet. July and August. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.

CAMPANULA

- Carpatica (Carpathian Bellflower). A charming little plant, growing from 6 to 12 inches high, produc-ing the bell-like blue flowers all Summer. Espe-cially useful in rockwork. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.
- Per 100.
 Carpatica alba. White form of preceding variety.
 \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.
 Persicifolia (Peach-Leaf Bellflower). Glossy green foliage from which it takes its common name.
 Flowers are blue, shading to white. 2 feet. June.
 \$3.00 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.
 Persicifolia alba. White form of persicifolia. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

CERASTIUM

Biebersteini (Improved Snow-in-Summer). A low-growing plant which bears a multitude of small, white flowers. The foliage is silvery white and the entire plant makes a desirable edging or carpet-ing for borders and beds; it is attractive through-out the entire season. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

CENTAUREA (Perennial Cornflower)

Montana. Grows 2 feet high, bearing large, violet-blue flowers from July to September. \$2.50 per doz.; 15.00 per 100.
 Montana alba. A white variety of the above. \$2.50 per doz.; 15.00 per 100.

POMPON CHRYSANTHEMUMS

These are the small-flowered Chrysanthemums of the old-fashioned gardens, and bloom in October and November, after almost all flowers are gone. They are showy in the garden and effective as cut-flowers, and being perfectly hardy and of easiest culture, can be successfully grown in any garden. We offer a fine collection of the best varieties, ranging from white to deep crimeon white to deep crimson.

We supply pot plants for May and June delivery Price \$2.25 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100

Beautiful orange. Tall Boston. bronze - orange. and branched.

Capt. R. H. Cook. Dark rose with brownish center.

Frank Wilcox. Golden brank whick, Golden bronze of special merit for those desir-ing late variety. Golden Climax. Rich yellow. Extra fine for cutting. Free blocwer

- for cutting. Free bloomer. Indian. Copperish red. Klondike. Brilliant yel-low. Compact blooms of medium size. Lillian Doty. Beautiful shell pink. Strong, upright growth.

Nellie Kleris. Clear pink. Marie Antoinette. Deep

Marie Antoinette. pink. Mitzi. Yellow with red-dish center. Petite Louis. Rose-pink with bronze center. Provence. Rose - pink, tipped rosy red. Rose Travena. Very large; deep rose-pink. Red Button. Reddish bronze button; hardy and free flowering. Varsity. Yellow.

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HARDY LARGE FLOWERED OLD-FASHION CHRYSANTHEMUM

The blooms are 3 inches or more in diameter, shaped like an aster. Slight protection during the winter.

	Per 12	Per 100
White. Blooms sometimes slightly tinged with cream	\$2.50	\$15.00
Blush. Tinged with rose and pink	2.50	15.00
Pink. Shaded from blush-pink to deeper tones	2.50	15.00
Yellow. Varying from lemon to orange-yellow		15.00

DELPHINIUM

inense. Fine feathery foliage and intense gen-tian-blue flowers in open panicles. \$2.50 per doz.; Chinense.

\$15.00 per 100.
 Chinense Album. A pure white form of the above.
 \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

DIGITALIS—FOXGLOVE

The Shirley

The Shirley Foxglove is a magnificent new strain produced by the late Rev. W. Wilkes. It produces plants 5 to 7 feet high with spikes 4 feet long, carry-ing flowers of great size, ranging from white to dark rose, handsomely blotched and spotted with crimson, maroon and chocolate. It is, of course, a hardy perennial. \$2.75 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. **Purpurea.** The old-fashioned purple Foxglove. The flower spikes are from 4 to 7 feet tall, coming to perfection in July. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100. **Purpurea alba.** White form of purpurea. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

DIANTHUS

eltoides (Maiden Pink). Dainty border plant. Flowers deep red with crimson eye. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100. Deltoides (Maiden

DICENTRA

Eximia (Fringed Bleeding Heart). Almost a per-petual bloomer, as the flowers are produced all Summer; foliage fernlike. \$3.00 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

HARDY FERNS

Varieties				shade;	those	marked
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*Adiantum pedatum (American	
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Maidenhair Fern) \$2.50 \$18.0	0
+Athyrium filixfemina (Lady Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
+Dennstaedtia punctilobula (Hay-	
Scented Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
*Dryopteris goldiana (Goldie Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
*marginalis (Leather Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
+Osmunda cinnamomea (Cinnamon	
Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
+claytoniana (Interrupted Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
+regalis (Royal Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
*Polystichum acrostichoides(Christ-	
mas Fern) 2.50 18.0	0
+Pteretis nodulosa (Ostrich Fern). 2.50 18.0	0
*Woodsia obtusa(Common Woodsia) 2.50 18.0	0

FESTUCA GLAUCA (Blue Fescue Grass)

A dwarf grass with very distinct blue foliage. Does not grow over 8 to 10 inches high and is very effective. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

GENISTA ELATIOR (Hardy Broom)

At last we have a Genista, or Broom, that is per-fectly hardy in this climate. All know the yellow-flowered Genistas that the florists sell for Easter at prices ranging from two to ten dollars each. This hardy Genista is just as beautiful as these and can be grown in anyone's garden or shrubbery. It is of slow growth, but eventually reaches a height of 3 to 4 feet and as many feet across. In June it is covered with beautiful yellow, pea-shaped flowers which continue a long time on the plant. We consider this one of the most valuable small shrubs intro-duced during many years. Pot-grown plants, 50 ets. each; \$5.00 per doz.

IBERIS (Candytuft)

- Saxatilis corifolia. Candytuft. A large snow-white flower. 8 to 10 inches. May. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 flower. per 100.
- Sempervirens. Hardy Candytuft. The flowers are white, borne with great freedom, while the foliage may remain green all winter. About 1 foot. April to June. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.

Sempervirens nana. A dwarf form of the preceding. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.

KNIPHOFIA—TRITOMA

(Flame Flower, or Torch Lily)

(Flame Flower, or Torch Lily) This new Tritoma is undoubtedly one of the most valuable introductions of recent years. Tritoma Uva-ria, or "Red-Hot-Poker" plant, is highly 'prized on account of its picturesque appearance and its bloom-ing so late in the fall after almost everything else is gone. This new variety is a great improvement in every respect. The flowers are much more refined and beautiful and are produced in the greatest pro-fusion from early summer until late fall, coming into bloom at least two months before the older variety. It is equally desirable for garden effects or for cut-flowers. The flower-spikes are of gigantic size, fre-quently 4½ feet high, with heads of bloom over 12 inches long, of a rich orange-scarlet, shading to salmon-rose on the edge; a first-class acquisition. This plant is not quite hardy and should be protected in winter with a covering of leaves, or can be taken up, packed in sand and stored in a cold cellar over winter. 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100.

LOBELIA

Cardinalis (Cardinal Flower). Flowers are Indian pink. The most showy of all our native plants; no other flower compares with the brilliancy of the blooms, which are a rich cardinal-red. The blooms are rather loosely clustered at the end of the flower stems, from 2 to 4 feet long, July to Sep-tember. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

LYCHNIS VISCARIA SPLENDENS FLORE PLENO

(Double Rose-pink Campion)

Double Red (Ragged Robin). Forms a dense tuft of evergreen foliage, and in June it sends up tall spikes of handsome double, deep red flowers of exquisite fragrance, and remains in perfection six weeks. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

MERTENSIA VIRGINIA (Blue Bells)

An early spring-flowering plant, growing about 1 to 1¼ feet high, with drooping panicles of handsome light blue flowers, fading to clear pink One of the most interesting of our native spring flowers. May and June. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

MYOSOTIS

Scorpioides semperflorens (Dwarf Perpetual Forget-me-nots). An improved variety of the old-fash-ioned true Forget-me-not. The plants require a rather damp, shaded place. Flowers bright blue; borne all Summer. 8 inches. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100 per 100.

OENOTHERA

- Fruticosa Youngi (Young's Sundrops). Extremely profuse bloomer, bright lemon-yellow flowers. Plant branching, about 2 feet high. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.
 Glauca Fraseri (Fraser's Sundrops). Flowers are yellow, quite large, and borne in clusters. 2 to 3 feet. Midsummer. \$2.50 per doz; \$15.00 per 100.
- feet.

PACHYSANDRA

Terminalis (Japanese Spurge). A valuable plant for covering the ground in shady places, but seems to grow well in the sun. The foliage is a bright glossy green, while the plant is rarely more than 6 inches high. Small spikes of flowers are borne during the months of May and June. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

PENTSTEMON

- Torreyi (Torrey Pentstemon). An excellent variety of this American plant that is used chiefly for garden borders. The flowers which are scarlet or crimson and orange, are produced freely in June and July. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100. Florist's New Giant. A fine improved race of Pent-stemon of more erect habit than the older strain and with very large flowers, ranging in color from bright and rich reds to rose, violet, and white. Hardy perennial but needs protection during the Winter north of Pennsylvania. \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

PENNISETUM JAPONICUM

This new Hardy Grass is very desirable. It grows 4 feet high, with slender, graceful foliage and showy plumes thrown well above the leaves. Most valuable for adding variety to the garden planting. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

KARLSRUHE BALCONY PETUNIAS

Several years ago, while motoring in Germany, we saw the most beautiful Petunias trained on the iron railings of the balcony of the town hall of Karlsruhe. It was the most effective balcony decoration we had ever seen. There was only one color—a lovely rich violet-blue, a color never seen in Petunias before. The front of the balconies was a solid sheet of color. Inquiry developed that these remarkable Petunias were being shown by a local specialist. We were unable to obtain any seed until a few years later when we got a small quantity. Violet Blue Pure White Carmine Rosy Pink

Violet Blue Pure White Carmine Rosy Pink 3 inch pot plants \$1.75 per doz; \$12.00 per 100.

PRIMULA POLYANTHUS

This charming Spring-blooming plant belongs to the Primrose family, the hardy varieties of which are so very popular in England, but are rarely seen in this country, owing partly to an impression that they cannot be grown in this climate. This is a mis-take, as they do very well here. For the front of the borders and shrubbery, for Spring bedding, and for naturalizing in moist and partly shaded places nothing can be finer. Large-Flowered White. An improved variety with very large flowers: very fine \$200 ner doz: \$1300

Large-Flowered White. An improved variety with very large flowers; very fine, \$2.00 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100. Large-Flowered Mixed. \$2.00 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100. Cashmeriana. Large-leaved variety, as hardy as it is handsome, and when planted in moist, rich loam, grows as vigorously as a cabbage. \$2.50 per doz; \$18.00 per 100.

PHYSOSTEGIA VIRGINIANA

False Dragon. An Amercian plant forming large clumps, which in July and August are covered with light pink flowers. \$2.25 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

POLEMONIUM CERULEUM

(Jacob's Ladder)

Useful border plants about 12 inches high, with deep green, finely cut foliage and spikes of showy blue flowers in May and June; of graceful growth. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE

A dwarf plant covering the ground completely with its foliage. In September it is a mass of beauti-ful, deep blue flowers, which gradually change to violet. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOXES

The beauty and usefulness of these grand border plants give to them a deservedly first place among hardy plants. For cutting, their large trusses go a long way in floral decorations. In color they range from pure white to the richest coral-red, all having a delicate fragrance. Perennial Phloxes succeed in almost any soil enriched with manure, but are much benefited by a mulching of decomposed manure in spring, and in hot weather an occasional soaking of water. If the first spikes of bloom are removed as soon as over and the plant given a good soaking of water, they will produce a second supply of flowers, thus continuing the display until late in autumn. These later blooms are often finer than the first.

Pot-grown plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

Albion. Pure white, with a faint red eye.

- eacon. Brilliant cherry-red. Grows 36 inches high. The flower heads are carried on straight, strong stems. It is an excellent variety and one of the best of this color. Beacon.
- Europa. White with crimson eye. Extra large. Distinct and fine.
- Frau Buchner. One of the prettiest delicate shades of mauve with crimson eye.
- Jules Sandeau. Rather dwarf in habit, but produc-ing very large heads of brilliant watermelon-pink blossoms. An outstanding variety because it flowers more freely and longer than most Phlox. Kossuth. Deep rose, maroon center.
- a Vague. Warm mauve-pink with red eye. This Phlox does not look nor create the effect that the so-called wild or purple Phlox does. The flower heads are conical and large, and borne in great profusion.
- Miss Lingard. Early-flowering; pure white blooms with a faint lilac eye. Splendid for mass planting, as it will bloom in June and again in September, if the old flowers are cut. Not infested with red spider.
- Mrs. Scholten. New dark salmon-pink flowers in enormous pyramidal spikes. A splendid sort of great value. Mid-season flowering and of medium height.

Richard Wallace. White with crimson eye. Splendid.

- Richard Wahace. White and trusses extremely large; possibly the finest Phlox of this color.
 Rhinelander. Salmon-pink; both flower and truss are immense in size, and the color is intensified by a brilliant carmine eye.
 Thor (Medium). A most beautiful and lively shade of deep salmon-pink suffused and overlaid with a scarlet glow.

ROSMARINUS

Officinalis (Rosemary). A shrubby perennial from 2 to 4 feet high, with many small light blue flowers. Familiar in old-fashioned gardens. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)

Improved Dwarf. Spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Splendens. The old-fashioned, tall-growing variety. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

SEDUM—STONECROP

A showy group of hardy perennials which anyone can grow and which we have divided into two

THE CREEPING STONECROPS Are seldom over 6 inches high; excellent for edg-ing perennial beds and carpeting the ground between shrubs.

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 Sieboldi (Siebold Stonecrop). This Japanese variety, with its exquisite glaucous leaves, is considered the best foliage plant in the Sedum family. Flowers rosy pink. \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.
 Spectabile (Showy Stonecrop). Glaucous foliage; flat clusters, about 4 inches across, of rose or light purple flowers. 1 to 3 feet, September and October. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.
 Stoloniferum (Running Stonecrop). Pink flowers in June and July. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.
 THE MOSSY STONECHOPS
 Acre (Gold Moss). Grows 2 to 3 inches high; yellow flowers in July; leaves are ¼ inch long. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.
 Album (White Stonecrop). Small white flowers. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.
 Steatum (Janny Stonecrop). Small, bright yellow flowers making up a flat cluster 1 to 1½ inches across. July. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

SILENE

Schafta (Schafta Catchfly). A low-growing plant with rose-pink flowers in clusters. Useful for edg-ing and the rock garden. June to September, \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

STENANTHIUM ROBUSTUM

(Mountain Feather Fleece)

(Mountain Feather Fleece) This remarkably hardy perennial is without doubt one of our best new introductions and may be classed with the showiest of all herbaceous plants. As the buds begin to unfold, they are quite upright, and of a light green tinge, gradually becoming whiter until at last they burst forth into a veritable snowbank of drooping, fleecy bloom of the purest white, the pan-icles often 2 to 3 feet long. After several weeks the flowers, as they ripen, turn to shades of pink and purple. It is a vigorous perennial, attaining a height of 5 to 8 feet, and is absolutely hardy throughout the United States and Canada. The Mountain Feather Fleece is of easy cultiva-tion, but takes some time to become well established and if given plenty of food, makes a wonderful show equalled by few plants of any description. Prefers a moist and partially shaded position. It would be impossible to give an idea of the wonderful effect of a large mass of Stenanthiums when in full bloom, as no description conveys the beauty of the delicate feathered, drooping flowers. Strong plants, 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

STOKESIA CYANEA

(Cornflower Aster, or Stokes' Aster)

Caerulea. Beautiful light blue. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

Iba. Pure white variety of the above. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100. Alba.

THALICTRUM

Aquilegifolium (Columbine Meadow Rue). One of the most desirable hardy plants in cultivation. Its fine habit, beauiful foliage, and masses of lovely flowers, varying from white to purple through all intermediate shades, make it one of the most hand-some things that can be planted. A graceful plant of much charm and distinction. 2 to 3 feet high; blooms in May and June. \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

TROLLIUS—GLOBE FLOWER

A family of plants which succeeds well in borders where they may be shaded during the middle of the day. They prefer a light soil and a goodly amount of moisture.

Japonicus (Japanese Globe Flower). Orange-yellow flowers, borne freely in early spring. 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.

Mixed. All colors. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

HYBRID TEA ROSES EVERBLOOMING

Prices except where noted, for strong, 2-year field-grown plants in pots \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

- Columbia. One of the largest Roses among the re-cent introductions, flowers occasionally measuring 6 inches across. The color is a splendid pink, which becomes more intense as the blooms grow older. The flowers are borne on long stems that are usually thornless 10 inches below the flower. Duchess of Wellington. Unquestionably the best yellow Rose. Intense saffron-yellow stained rich crimson. Vigorous in growth, erect and free flow-ering.
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- ering. **uss an Teplitz.** The crimson-scarlet blooms are produced in great profusion from early June until the time of killing frosts. An excellent variety for mass plantings and for Rose hedges. **adiey.** Deep velvety crimson, which retains its color. Both buds and flowers are beautifully Gruss
- Hadley. formed.

- color. Both buds and flowers are beautifully formed.
 Jonkheer J. L. Mock. Practically a double colored bloom, because of the bright cherry-red on the outside of the petals and the shiny, silvery white on the inside. Unusually large and well formed.
 Kaiserin Auguste Victoria. An old sort which possesses so many perfections that it is still one of the most popular varieties. The creamy white blooms are quite large and full, and are produced in great numbers until late Autumn.
 Killarney. The long, pointed buds are an exquisite pink, and are borne in great numbers. This is a favorite for cut flowers and is still one of the most popular varieties, although it has been known for more than twenty years. Delicious perfume.
 Killarney White. Pure white. Sport from Killarney. Long and of fine form.
 Los Angeles (Howard & Smith). One of the finest Roses ever introduced. The growth is vigorous and produces a long-stemmed flower of a luminous flame-pink toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at base of the petals. The buds are long and pointed. \$1.25 each; \$12.50 per doz.
 Miss Lolita Armour (Howard & Smith). In 1921 it won the Bagatelle (Paris) prize. Its fragrant blooms develop from well shaped buds, chrome-yellow at base, shading to orange and copper hues on the reverse of the petals, and with much of the copper and shrimp-pink tints in its make-up. Free blooming. blooming
- Mme. Butterfly. Bright pink, apricot and gold. Plant is strong, throwing up big branching sprays of bloom.

- Mme. Caroline Testout. Broad petals of bright satiny rose, slightly darker at the center and carmine-pink at the edges. Bushes are quite vigorous and produce great numbers of blooms.
- Mme. Edouard Herriot. Buds coral-red, opening to medium sized blooms of coral-red, shaded with yellow and bright rose-scarlet, which still later changes to shrimp-red. Winner of the Gold Cup offered by the London Daily Mail for the best new Rose at the International Exhibition in London. (See color illustration.)
- Mrs. Aaron Ward. Long, shapely buds of Indian yellow, occasionally flushed with salmon-rose. Flowers freely all through the season.
- **Ophelia.** Light salmon-pink blooms which shade to yellow at the bases of the petals. Considered the best Rose of its color, as the blooms are large in size and very attractively formed. Blooms freely throughout the season and far into the Autumn.
- Radiance. The strong plants produce hosts of hand-some flowers, which range in color from light sil-very flesh to salmon-pink, suffused with pink and yellowish coppery red.
- beautiful Rose of infinite grace and charm. Its velvety, brilliant scarlet-crimson buds and fully opened flowers never fade.
- ed Radiance. The color is a splendid, even shade of clear red, without a trace of any other color, re-taining its vividness for an unusually long time. Strong and vigorous. Red Radiance.
- Storing and vigorous, Souvenir de Claudius Pernet (Pernet-Ducher, 1920). (Awarded the Bagatelle prize.) Its color is a defi-nite and lovely sunflower-yellow, deepening in the center, and it retains this color indoors and out-doors, in bud and full bloom. The plants are of branching habit, with brilliant green foliage and few thorns and the buds are produced on long, stiff stems. \$1.25 each; \$12.50 per doz.
- Sunburst. Large, golden yellow flowers, with orange-yellow centers, borne on strong, upright stems; excellent for cutting.
- Willowmere. The buds are a combination of carmine-coral and red, but open to a rich shrimp-pink, shaded with yellow in the center and toning to carmine-pink at the edges of the petals.

ELLIOTT NURSERY COMPANY 336 MAGEE BUILDING PITTSBURGH, PA.

A BREATH OF FLORIDA FOR YOUR HOME

Take Advantage of the Fact That the Temperature of Your Own Living Room in Winter Is the Same as the Famous Climate in the "Land of Flowers."

> OUNTLESS thousands will jam the trains and roads to Florida this Winter, seeking the well-advertised balmy air of that Southern resort. Yet, while they are on their way, you and your family will be whiling away part of your time in a living room of the very same temperature that has made Florida famous!

> In other words, you have a breath of Florida in your own home. And the natural thing to do is to turn it into a fragrant, flowerladen atmosphere that will give you, at a ridiculously low cost, some of the pleasure and happiness that others get only by going South!

IT IS THE EASIEST THING IN THE WORLD

This doesn't mean that you have to be an experienced gardener or a trained horticulturist. Even if you don't know a Tulip from a Hyacinth, you can grow them easily and successfully by merely following the simple directions that accompany the bulbs. The fact that the bulbs are perfect to begin with virtually insures your success, for once they've been started most of them seem to grow whether you want them to or not!

A SPECIAL OFFERING THIS SEASON

This is particularly true of this season's special offering, the Prepared Dutch Hyacinth. After three years of careful tests and observations with this type of bulb, we are now prepared to offer it in quantities backed by our usual guarantee. Having been specially treated by a new method, this bulb grows unusually fast and with remarkable success, thus recommending itself most highly to those who want flowers in their home at a minimum cost and with no especial effort.

THIS PLEASURE IS YOURS FOR THE ASKING

This being true, it would be a shame not to bring Florida to your living room this Winter. For Flowers are beautiful living things, the symbol of the best Life has to offer us.

"If thou wouldst attain thy highest," advised Schiller, "go look upon a flower." And when the cost is of such little consequence and the effort involved, there is none who can afford to be without the inspiring sweetness of Mother Nature's own jewels.

We recommend the offerings on the following pages as the greatest asset to the bed-rock of civilization, The Happy Home!

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New Prepared Dutch Hyacinths

New Prepared Dutch Hyacinths

THE perfection of the new heat-treated Dutch Hyacinth is really a response to the growing demand for a "sure-fire, fool-proof" plant. The mechanical process to which the bulb is subjected shortens its growing time considerably and gives an unusually beautiful flower. They require no attention, are inexpensive and most satisfactory, and exhaustive experiments with them over a period of several years demonstrate that they are well worth your special consideration.

It is next to impossible to fail with the Prepared Dutch Hyacinths for January bloom and with very good care they can be forced into bloom by Christmas. They can be planted as soon as they are received or delayed until after the first of the year, if desired, without affecting the quality of the flower in the least. The Elliott Nurseries back the Prepared Dutch Hyacinths with the usual guarantee and recommend the bulb emphatically.

In order to prevent confusion in filling orders we have renamed these specially prepared Hyacinths.

	Dozen	100	
Christmas Red (La Victoire)	\$2.25	\$15.00	
Heavenly Blue (Schotel)	2.25	15.00	
Golden Climax (Yellow Ham-			
mer)	2.25	15.00	
Purity (L'Innocence), White	2.25	15.00	
Rosy Morn (Lady Derby), Pink	2.25	15.00	
RoyalPrince(Dr.Lieber), Purple	2.25	15.00	
Vesta (Beauty), Pink	2.25	15.00	

Forcing or "House Bulbs"

HOSE who are interested chiefly in forcing bulbs for house use can pick any of the First or Second Sized named Hyacinths, the Miniature Hyacinths, the Special Prepared Hyacinths; either Single or Double Early Tulips. But if you don't care to go to the trouble of looking through the entire catalog for suitable bulbs, you can rest assured that any of the groups listed on this page, plus the Lilies on Page 6, will give you the utmost satisfaction.

HYACINTHS

First or Exhibition Size (To bloom in February)

Buff Beauty, Orange Yellow Gertrude, Carmine Rose	Each \$.30 .30	Dozen \$3.25 3.25	$100 \\ $25.00 \\ 25.00$
Gen. Vetter, Blush White Grand Maitre, Porcelain Blue	.30 .30	$\frac{3.25}{3.25}$	$25.00 \\ 25.00$
King of the Blues, Dark Blue	.30	3.25	25.00
Lady Derby, Rose Pink	.30	3.25	25.00
La Victoire, Carmine Red	.30	3.25	25.00
L'Innocence, White	.30	3.25	25.00
La Grandesse, White	.30	$\frac{3.25}{3.25}$	$25.00 \\ 25.00$
Mansfield, Ruby Violet Queen of the Blues, Sky Blue	.30 .30	3.25	25.00
Yellow Hammer, Cream Yellow	.30	3.25	25.00
		0.20	20.00
TULIPS Single Ea (To bloom in Februa		Dozen	100
Couleur Cardinal, Deep Scarlet		\$.90	\$ 6.50
General de Wet, Orange Each		2.25	15.00
Keizerskroon, Red and Yellow		1.10	7.50
La Reine Maximus, Blush White		.70	5.00
Mon Tresor, Pure Yellow		1.00	7.00
Proserpine, Carmine Rose	• • • • •	.90	6.50
Double Early			
(To bloom in March		Dozen	100
Crown of Gold, Yellow		\$.85	\$ 6.00
Imperator Rubrorum, Deep Scarlet		.90	6.50
Murillo, Pink Peach Blossom, Rosy Pink	••••	.65 .90	$4.50 \\ 6.50$
Schoonoord, Pure White		.90	5.50
Tea Rose, Apricot Yellow		.60	4.00
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These Bulbs Are Picked by Experts

Laconia, N. H.

Elliott Nursery Company, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find check. I want to say that it is a joy to open a box of such splendid bulbs as those which you put out. Thank you, too, for the cultural instructions. They were greatly appreciated by the three friends whose orders were included with mine.

Yours respectfully, (signed) MRS. J. S. AVERY

For "Blue Ribbon" Results

IF you want a collection of flowers that no one in your community will be able to rival, Elliott's Late Tulips for forcing will give you all of that provided you cultivate them with the proper care. However, this requires something more than a beginner's knowledge, and unless you have had experience, we advise against trying to force late Tulips. If you are certain that you can

do it, Darwin and Breeder Tulips are the best to use. They are gorgeous when forced and the results justify whatever effort it costs. The following varieties are the only ones that should be used—and the directions which accompany them must be followed to the letter.

BREEDER TULIPS (To bloom in March)

	Dozen	100
Bronze Queen. Soft buff	\$.60	\$4.25
Bacchus. Darkest blue	1.65	11.00
Coridion. Yellow	1.75	12.00
Don Pedro. Coffee brown	1.50	10.00
Panorama. Orange red	.75	5.50

DARWIN TULIPS (To bloom in March)

	Dozen	
Bartigon. Fiery crimson	\$.50	\$3.50
Centenaire. Violet-rose	60	4.00
Philippe de Commines. Dark violet		4.00
Princess Elizabeth. Deepest pink	60	4.00
William Copland, Lavender		4.25
William Pitt. Rich crimson	.60	4.00



Forced Murillo Tulips

Hand-Picked Assortments

KNOWING that many buyers of bulbs do not care enough about technical descriptions to wade through them, we have prepared four standard assortments for their convenience. Only the very best varieties are included in these collections and they are backed by our usual guarantee. In ordering you need only specify the assortment initial, understanding that in the higher priced collections a greater proportion of the more expensive bulbs are included. If you desire to go above the \$10.00 group, you can either specify the amount and the varieties—or leave the choice to our own good judgment, as you please.

Collection J. 35 Assorted bulbs of suitable varie-	00 TT
ties Collection K. 60 Assorted bulbs of suitable	\$2.75
varieties	5.00
Collection L. 110 Assorted bulbs of suitable varie-	10.00
ties	10.00

5% Discount For Cash Before July 1st 1928

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Lilly-of-the-Valley Berlin



Freesia Purity

Catonsville, Md. Elliott Nursery Company, Pittsburgh, Pa. Gentlemen:

I am enclosing a photograph of my pot of a dozen Purity Freesias taken two weeks ago. They were potted about the third week in October and began to open about January 25. I bought my first bulbs of you 26 years ago.

May all your customers get as much pleasure from them as my daughter and I do from ours. With best wishes,

Very sincerely yours, (Signed) ALICE M. BAER

LILIUM FORMOSUM

Formosum. Japanese Easter Lily. Ex- cellent for forcing or planting outdoors. Large, white, trumpet-shaped blooms.	 Doz.	100
7 to 9 inches 9 to 10 inches		

LILIUM HARRISII

(True Bermuda Easter Lily) Lilies are suitable for growing in greenbou

These Lines are suitable for growing in gre		
Bulbs 5 to 7 inches in circumference\$.15	\$1.75	\$12.00
Bulbs 6 to 7 inches in circumference		
Bulbs 7 to 9 inches in circumference		25.00

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Extra selected Berlin Pips. Ready in		
December. For forcing (American pips	Per 25	Per 100
	1.75.	

CALLA LILIES

White Calla (Richardia Aethiopica). The White Calla, or Lily of the Nile, is a well known plant of easy culture, and in Winter is one of our best window plants. To aid profuse blooming keep them dormant from the middle of June until the last of August; repot in good, rich soil, using 6 to 8 inch pot; give water, light and heat in abundance, and the result will be most satisfactory. Each Dorg 100

Selected bulbs	\$.25	\$2.50	\$15.00
Mammoth bulbs		3.25	24.00
FREESIA PURIT	ſΥ		

This charming flower is one of the most satisfactory bulbs that can be forced. It is certain to flower either in the conservatory or the house. Doz. 100 1,000 Selected bulbs $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ in \$.30 \$2.10 \$17.50 Mammoth bulbs. Extra $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ in... .50 3.75 32.00 NAMED FREESIAS IN SEPARATE COLORS

	Doz.	
Buttercup, Splendid Yellow	\$.75	\$5.50
California, Very Best Yellow	1.20	8.00
New Giant, Very Finest Lavender	1.10	7.50
Splendens, Beautiful Lavender	.75	
	./0	0.00

RAINBOW, Fardel's Strain. A wonderfully improved stock of colored Freesia, comprising a large number of beautiful shades of yellow, blue, mauve, pink, lavender, etc. The flowers are as large as the best white type, and equally as fragrant. We offer them in mixed colors only.

Dozen	\$0.70
100	
1000	\$45.00

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SPECIAL AND IMPORT PRICES FOR FALL OF 1928

SPRING'S FIRST FLOWER-THE CROCUS

Those who "Can Hardly Wait For Spring to Come" Should Plant Crocuses

ON'T you grow impatient for Spring before the last snow has gone? Well, if you want to see your garden come into bloom at the earliest possible moment, plant it with Crocuses-they absolutely defy the lingering Winter.

Frequently they bloom while the snow is still on the ground. And when all is said and done, none of the gorgeous Summer flowers are more welcome than this first messenger of Spring.

The Crocus has a universal appeal. It is the most logical flower for a small patch of ground—all that many houses can afford to give to flowers. On the other hand, it is ideal for growing in the grass of the lawn for long strips of borders, either around other beds, beside paths, or in front of a porch or a garage entrance. They bloom year after year if you don't cut off the foliage.

In short, Crocuses cost little, expect little but give a great deal.

CROCUSES

Fine Named Varieties

	Doz.	100
Albion. Striped white and blue	\$.50	\$3.00
Argus. Variegated	.50	3.00
Baron Von Brunow. Dark blue	.50	3.00
Caroline Chisholm. Pure white	.50	3.00
Cloth of Silver. White; violet striped	.50	3.00
Grand Lilac Lilac; very early and very fine.	.50	3.00
Grootvorst. White and violet	.50	3.00
Harbinger of Spring. Brilliant dark purple,	•	
very early	.50	3.00
Kathleen Parlow. Pure white; extra large		
flower	.60	4.00
King of the Blues. Dark purple	.50	3.00
King of the Whites. Large; snow-white;		
splendid new variety	.60	4.00
Lady Stanhope. White and violet	.50	3.00
La Majesteuse. Striped	.50	3.00
Livingstone. Lilac and white	·.50 ·	3.00
Mont Blanc. White; best	.60	4.00
Mad. Mina. Light blue, striped; very early;	50	
extra fine	.50	3.00
Othello. Dark purple.	.50	3.00
Pallas. White, striped light blue	.60	4.00
No Plus Ultra. Blue, white border	.50	3.00
Prince Albert. Blue	.50	3.00
Purpurea Grandiflora. Deep purple	.60	4.00
Queen Victoria. White	.50	3.00



Border of Mixed Crocuses

	Doz.	100
Scotch, White, striped; very early	\$.50	\$3.00
Sir Walter Scott. Striped; finest	.50	3.00
Sir John Franklin. Large; dark purple	.50	3.00
Xerxes. Lilac, extra large	.50	3.00
All colors mixed20.00 per 1000	.30	2.25

YELLOW CROCUS

Large Yellow. Second size usually sold as		
Mammoth)	\$.40	3.00
Large Yellow. Mammoth bulbs, first size		4.00
Large Yellow. Monster bulbs	65	4.50

CROCUSES IN SEPARATE COLORS

Last year we supplied our customers with nearly a quarter of a million crocus in separate colors and mixtures

colors and mixtures.	Doz.	100	1000
Blue			
Striped			
White			
All Colors Mixed	.30	2.25	20.00

Use Crocuses For Your Borders and Lawns

PRIZE WINNING HYACINTHS

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Elliott Bulb Users Have Won Many Awards With Them Here and Abroad

The Hyacinths are exquisite, writes an Elliott enthusiast. "Such huge trusses of lovely soft pink—one measuring 11 inches in circumference. My La Victoires make a glorious sight, standing right up 15 inches above the pot." Named Hyacinths of this ex-

Named Hyacinths of this exceptional grade can be had from only a few dealers in this country —generally at prices considerably higher than these. They are selected exhibition bulbs and have won first prizes wherever displayed. The diligence and knowledge of our specialists who go abroad to buy are alone responsible for such unusual bulbs at such reasonable prices.

Quality Hyacinths Usually Cost More Than These

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First Size Named **H**vacinths

"Top Root, Exhibition Mother Bulbs"

USTOMERS from every quarter of the land O write us that they have never seen such gorgeous flowers as Elliott's First Size Named Hyacinths. It is safe to say that they are the finest and largest blooms to be had at any price. The success of the bulbs and the natural beauty

of their flowers have made many a "week-end gardener" feel like a champion horticulturist and has turned many a mere flower bed into "the talk of the town."

SINGLE DARK RED

	Each	Doz.	100
Garibaldi. Brilliant red; fine for early forcing	\$ 50	\$5.25	\$25.00
General Pelissier. Deep scarlet; early;	φ.00	φ0.20	φ20.00
extra fine	.30	3.25	25.00
La Victoire. Brilliant carmine-red; one of the very finest red varieties for bed-			

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ding and forcing. It retains its superb color to the end. Lord Macauley. Very fine, bright red.

.30 3.25 let; extra large spike...... William the First. Brilliant carmine... .30 3.25

SINGLE ROSE ·

Baron Van Thuyll. Very fine pink;

Cardinal Wiseman. Soft rose, carmine-

- General Wischlahr of the second striped; very large truss. GENERAL DE WET. (Pink Sport of Grand Maitre). Lovely soft pink; very large truss well filled with fine bells. A splendid variety for forcing
- and bedding
- Gertrude. Deep carmine rose. A very large well-filled truss of a fine color. Excellent for forcing and bedding..... Gigantea. Blush; splendid truss.....

Jacques. Broad, loose spike, extra long;

- blush... Kohinoor. Extra large truss; bright
- pink; one of the largest flowers; semi-double.....

Lady Derby. Beautiful pure rose-pink. Extra large truss filled with large bells. A very fine variety for bedding as it has

> Cockrum, Miss. Elliott Nursery Company Pittsburgh, Pa. Gentlemen: Enclosed find check in your favor. The bulbs I bought from you have produced the most gorgeous flowers ever seen. My wife intends to give you a large order this spring. Thanking you for your service, and the wonderful flowers you sent, I am Yours truly, (Signed) IVY McKINNIE

	Eacl	1 Doz	. 100
a strong stem to support the heavy truss. A good forcer	\$.30	\$3.25	\$25.00
farconi. Deep rose flushed white. Com-			
pact spike of fine shape on a very stout			
stem. Excellent for out of doors	.30	3.25	25.00
Marie Cornelia. Light pink; earliest of			
all	.30	5.25	25.00
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Hyacinth La Victoire

Elliott Hyacinths Have Won Many Prizes



Hyacinth La Grandesse

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•	Lach	Doz.	100
Moreno. Fine pink; extra large spike;			
very early; splendid sort	\$ 70	\$7.25	\$25.00
Norma. Satiny pink	.30	3.25	25.00
Ornament Rose. Fine pink; large truss.	.30	3.25	25.00
QUEEN OF THE PINKS. (A Sport of			
King of the Blues). Clear rose pink.			
Large well-filled truss of excellent color			
and substance. One of the bedding			
varieties	30	3 25	25.00
Queen Wilhelmina. Vivid rosv-pink.	.00	0.20	20.00
Extra large truss with well shaped bells.			
An elegant variety	.30	3.25	25.00
Rosea Maxima. Lovely delicate rose.		0.00	20100
Splendid spike. A fine variety for all			
purposes	.30	3.25	25.00
SINGLE DARK BLU	JE		
KING OF THE DUITS F: (1)			
KING OF THE BLUES. Finest dark			
blue; truss and bells of fine form and			
excellent color. The best dark blue of			
the Hyacinths	70	7 25	25.00
I constatt Einsklasslasset	.50	0.20	20.00
Leopold II. Fine blue; large truss; splen-			
did flower	.30	3.25	25.00
Marie. Rich purple and indigo; enor-			

did flower	.30	3.25	25.00
Menelik. New. Almost black; best of	.30	3.25	25.00
its color; large truss Nigger Boy. Very dark			25.00 25. 0 0

SINGLE LIGHT BLUE

	Each	Doz.	100
Captain Boynton. Azure-blue; large			
spike	\$.30		\$25.00
spike Czar Peter. Porcelain-lilac	.30	3.25	25.00
Electra. Light silvery blue; splendid for			
forcing	.30	3.25	25.00
Enchantress. Clear light blue; one of			
the finest of its color; extra fine spike.			
Exhibition variety	.30	3.25	25.00
Grand Lilas. Azure-blue; perfect spike.		3.25	25.00
GRAND MAITRE. Beautiful porcelain-			
blue; gigantic truss filled with fine bells.			
Extra strong stem. One of the finest			
of the lighter blue Hyacinths for all			
purposes	.30	3.25	25.00
La Peyrouse. Clear blue	.30	3.25	25.00
Lord Derby. One of the very finest	.30	3.25	25.00
QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Lovely sky-			
blue with silvery reflex. One of the			
very finest of all the light blue Hya-			
cinths. A gem for bedding and pot cul-			
ture	.30	3.25	25.00
Perle Brilliante. Light blue. Very large			
spike; fine	.30	3.25	25.00
Regulus. Light blue with dark stripes	.30	3.25	25.00
Schotel. Light blue; perfect truss	.30	3.25	25.00

SINGLE WHITE

Albertine. Pure white; early; large spike;			
	.30	3.25	25.00
extra fine Arentine Arendsen. New. Pure white.	30	0.20	20100
Very early; very attractive	.30	3.25	25.00-
Baroness van Thuyll. Early; pure white	.30	3.25	25.00
British Queen. New. Pure white;			
extra fine	.30	3.25	25.00
Correggio. Purest white. A magnifi-			
cent truss filled with large bells of ex-			
cellent substance. One of the finest			
exhibition varieties	.30	3.25	25.00
Hein Roozen. Magnificent. Snowy-white			
truss Extra long; loosely formed and			
very elegant. A grand variety	.30	3.25	25.00
LA GRANDESSE. Purest white; extra			0.5.00
fine; best of all whites.	.30	3.25	25.00
L'Innocence. Pure white. Extra fine			
truss with very large bells. A wonder- ful variety for forcing	70	~ ~ ~	0
Mad. Van der Hoop. Pure white; splen-	.30	5.25	25.00
did	70	7.95	25 00
Paix de l'Europe. Very fine snow white;	.30	3.25	25.00
very large truss	30	2 25	25.00
QUEEN OF WHITES. Huge pure white truss. A fine exhibition variety	.50	0.20	25.00
truss. A fine exhibition variety	30	3 25	25.00
White Lady. Pure white, broad spike,	.00	0.20	20.00
very fine	30	3 25	25.00
	.00	0.20	20.00

BLUSH WHITE

GEN. VETTER. Blush white, loose spike;			
one of the very best	.30	3.25	25.00
Grande Blanche. Lovely blush-white. Excellent spike and bells	70	3 25	25.00
Grandeur a Merveille. Rosy blush. A	.50	0.20	20.00
very dainty color and one of the most			
beautiful varieties	.30	3.25	25.00
Leviathan. Beautiful blush; large, well- filled spikes; a most distinct and charm-			
ing variety,	.30	3.25	25.00
Mr. Plimsol. Ivory-white; large spike.			25.00
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We Pay 1% More than the Bank for Your Cash

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Hyacinth Forced Dutch

(Continued from Page 10)
SINGLE YELLOW

	Each	Doz.	100
Buff Beauty. Buff or orange-yellow;			
large truss	\$.30	\$3.25	\$25.00
CITY OF HAARLEM. Soft vellow.		+	1-0-00
large truss, well filled with bells. The			
best of the yellow Hyacinths	30	3 25	25.00
Daylight. Orange-yellow; best variety of	.00	0.20	20.00
its color	.30	3.25	25.00
Ida. Citron-yellow; large spike			
King of Holland	.30	3.25	25.00
King of Holland. Orange-yellow	.30	3.25	25.00
King of the Yellows. Fine, bright yel-			
low; grand spike	.30	3.25	25.00
Yellow Hammer. Compact spike of a			
lovely creamy-yellow. Excellent for			
pot culture	30	3 25	25.00
	.00	0.20	20.00
SINGLE VIOLET AND	LILA	AC	
Charles Dickens. Large; dark lilac;			
splendid	30	3 25	25.00
L'Esperance. Dark purple; best of the	.00	0.20	20.00
	70	7.95	25.00
purples.	.50	5.25	25.00
Lord Mayo. Rich purple blue with white	70		05.00
eye	.30	3.25	25.00

	Each	Doz.	100
Lord Balfour. Lilac, tinged deep violet			
with a rosy reflex. A very fine truss			
with large bells and of a very distinct color. The best variety of this class			
color. The best variety of this class	\$.30	\$3.25	\$25.00
Mansfield. Ruby-violet; splendid truss			
best of its color	.30	3.25	25.00
WILLETTE. Soft, pearly lavender. An			
unusual color and of exquisite beauty.			
Truss very large, on a stout stem. One			
of the finest of the newer varieties	.30	3.25	25.00

 Portland, Me. Elliott Nursery Company Pittsburgh, Pa. Gentlemen:
I want to tell you that every early forcing hyacinth you sent me last October has made a splendid showing in our sunny Parlor window. This morning I have a dozen white, blue and pink Hyacinths which are the admiration and the envy of the passers-by.
(Signed) DR. JAMES A. SPALDING

Keep a Copy of Your Order

Second Size Named Hyacinths

The second size Hyacinths will be found fine for forcing and are highly recommended for those who desire extra good bulbs for bedding. They embrace the leading named sorts of the preceding list, are larger bulbs than those sold as mixed, and strictly true to name and color, thus giving exact shades wanted. We can offer them in the following varieties, all of which are described in the general list.

Red

Each	Doz.	100
La Victoire \$.25		
Roi des Belges	2,75	20.00

Light Blue

Grand Maitre	.25	2.75	20.00
Perle Brillante	.25	2.75	20.00
Queen of the Blues	.25	2.75	20.00
Dark Blue			
King of Blues	25	2.75	20.00
Marie	.25	2.75	20.00
White			
La Grandesse	25	2.75	20.00
L'Innocence.	25	2.75	20.00
Baroness van Thuyll	.25	2.75	20.00
		20	20.00



Single Small Hyacinths

Blush White

	Each	Doz.	100
Gen. Vetter	.25	2.75	20.00
Grande Blanche	.25	2.75	20.00

Yellow

City of Haarlem	.25	$2.75 \\ 2.75 \\ 2.75 \\ 2.75$	20.00
Daylight	.25		20.00
Yellow Hammer	.25		20.00

Pink

Gigantea	5 2.75	20.00
Rosea Maxima	5 2.75	20.00
Queen of the Pinks	5 2.75	20.00

SINGLE MIXED HYACINTHS

A Real "Buy"

For those who want a real flower at little cost, Elliott's Single Mixed Hyacinths are impossible to beat. Considering their price, these are really unusual bulbs, and while they should never be forced, you will find it pretty hard to stop their growth if you plant them outside. We anticipate a heavy demand for this bulb this season.

		Doz.	
Red and dark red	\$.20	\$2.00	\$14.00
Blush-white			
Pink	.20	2.00	14.00
Pure white	.20	2.00	14.00
Dark blue and purple	.20	2.00	14.00
Light blue	.20	2.00	14.00
Yellow	.20	2.00	14.00
All Colors, Mixed		2.00	14.00

MINIATURE HYACINTHS FOR FORCING

Long experience has convinced most garden lovers that Roman Hyacinths are much too high priced for their mediocre quality. Instead experienced planters are using the Single Small Forcing Hyacinth with results that are highly gratifying. Costing *less than half the price of Roman*, they give a flower of about the same size with larger bells and a great deal more strength. We are offering in this section only those varieties which produce the finest flowers and force easily, blooming early in January. This bulb was one of our best sellers last year.

	Doz.	
Dark red	\$1.25	\$ 9.50
Pink	1.25	9.50
Pure white	1.25	9.50
Cream white	1.25	9.50
Dark blue	1.25	9.50
Light blue	1.25	9.50
All Colors, Mixed	1.25	9.50

SINGLE BEDDING HYACINTHS

Uniformity in color and height, which is so important to many spots in a garden, is one outstanding feature of the Single Bedding Hyacinths, and those who prefer a better quality bulb than the Mixed group will appreciate these at a slightly higher price. The following list covers separate varieties without names.

	Each	Doz.	100
Dark red	\$.22	\$2.25	\$16.00
Pink	.22	2.25	16.00
Pure white	.22	2.25	16.00
Blush-white	.22	2.25	16.00
Dark blue	.22	2.25	16.00
Light blue	22	2.25	16.00
Yellow	.22	2.25	16.00

Forcing Hyacinths Grow Easily

Seven Hardy Bulbs for Naturalizing

For the Week-End Gardener Who Wants Something Cheap But Everlasting

GOOD many flower lovers have no time to spend cultivating their gardens. They want something that they can "plant and forget about," and the offerings on this page have been assembled especially for them. No Elliott bulbs require any skill or experience to grow—and even the forcing bulbs require very little attention but this list of naturalizing bulbs need only to be stuck into the ground to get results.

The offering includes seven distinct types of early blooming flowers that are especially good for borders, for the edges of planting, under trees, etc. They are inexpensive and if you refrain from cutting off the top foliage, they are practically everlasting. These bulbs will give you a great deal for a long time!

MISCELLANEOUS BULBS

CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow). Used largely for	D D	100
naturalizing. Very pretty blooms early in April.	Per Doz.	
Gigantea	\$.65 .50	\$ 4.50 3.50
FRITILLARIA (Crown Imperials) Fine mixed varieties,	.50	3.50
including double and single flowering sorts. Colors range		
from light yellow through deep yellow, orange and red	2.25	15.00
FRITILLARIA MALEAGRIS (Guinea Hen Flower). In	2.20	10100
mixture excellent for naturalizing	.90	6.50
GALANTHUS (Snowdrops).		
Nivalis. Single Snowdrops(\$40.00 per 1000)	.65	4.50
Nivalis Double. Double Snowdrop	.90	6.50
ERANTHUS (Winter Aconite).		
Hyemalis. Excellent for naturalizing and rock work	.50	3.50
IXIA. In splendid mixture	.50	3.50
Viridiflora. Excellent	.85	6.00
MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinth). Fine for naturalizing and		
planting in clumps among perennial borders, etc. Blooms		
early in April Botryoides. Blue, per 1000, \$30.00		
Botryoides. Blue, per 1000, \$30.00	.50	3.50
Botryoides Album. White.	.85	6.00
Heavenly Blue, Bright Sky Blue. The best and largest	(0	4.00
of the Grape Hyacinths (\$35.00 per 1000)	.60	4.00
Plumosum. (Feather Hyacinth). Violet blue. Spikes often		
8 inches long and of perfect pyramid shape. Splendid	1.15	8.00
for general garden use and naturalizing SCILLA. All the varieties of Scilla family are splendid for	1.15	0.00
naturalizing. Both form bells like small Hyacinths. They		
will bloom to perfection in shady places where no other		
flowers can be made to grow		
Siberica Sky Blue. One of the loveliest. Color sky-blue.		
Flowers outdoors at the same time as the Snowdrops.		
Fine for planting in the grass. \$40.00 per 1000	.65	4.50
Siberica Alba. The White variety of the above	.70	5.00
Campanulata Alba Maxima. Large pure white	.65	4.50
Campanulata Blue Queen. Large bright blue	.60	4.00
Campanulata Coerulea. Heavenly blue	.60	4.00
Campanulata Excelsior. Largest bright blue (late)	.65	4.50
Campanulata Rosy Queen. Soft lilac rose	.75	5.50
Campanulata. In splendid mixture. \$30.00 per 1000	.50	3.50

Elliott Bulbs Require No Skill

Marks, Miss.

Scilla Siberica

Elliott Nursery Company Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen:

I am sending an order to-day and wish you would send the bulbs at once.

I want to tell you that I have never gotten bulbs from any concern that gave such satisfaction as the ones I have gotten from you. They are the largest flowers I have ever seen and everyone wants to know where I get my bulbs. It gives me pleasure to recommend your house to my friends.

Thanking you for your past favors, I am (Signed) MRS. R. F. MARKS

The Gay and friendly early TULIPS

OU can better appreciate the Tulip when you know that as much as 13,000 florins (\$5200) was paid for a single specimen early in the XVII Century. The craze for Tulips was then so great that men pooled their money to buy "a share" in a particularly fine flower, and many fortunes were made during this famous Tulip speculation.

Those old varieties have long since been discarded for better types. Centuries of experiment have improved this flower unbelievably, and while Elliott's Tulips aren't priced at \$5000 today, they give a flower so beautiful that it must make the ghosts of those old speculators wring their hands in envious anguish just to see what they have missed!

Note: Take advantage of the extremely low prices of tulip bulbs this year and enlarge your garden. Owing to the present surplus of bulbs in Holland prices are lower than they have been for many years.

NAMED SINGLE EARLY TUL Prices quoted are for orders booked J		1928
Artus. Brilliant red	Doz. \$.60	100 \$4.00
Augusta. Lovely clear rose-pink; extra large flower of fine shape. Forces early	.70	5.00

	Doz.	100
Aurora. Saffron yellow, shaded pink. Very exquisite. 20 each	\$2.25	
Belle Alliance. Scarlet; very fine	.75	5.50
Blushing Bride. Lovely bright pink; very early		5.50
Cardinal Rampollo. New. Yellow, bordered orange; a conspicuous color	1.15	8.00
Chrysolora. Large; golden-yellow; best yel- low for outdoors	.75	5.50
Couleur Cardinal (True). Cardinal-red; one of the best	.90	6.50
Cottage Maid. White; edged with rose; extra fine; lovely; splendid for bedding	.75	5.50
Cottage Boy. Bronze-yellow, with orange	.75	5.50
A Maria The Thill Adda		

Inferior Bulbs Often Cost More Than Elliotts

- De Wet. Beautiful deep orange, shaded golden vellow at the base of the petals. A very artistic flower and one of the finest newer sorts in cultivation. There is no other orange variety which equals it in brilliancy. It is therefore one of the showiest bedders, and as it forces splendidly we can recom-mend it for all purposes. Each, \$0.20.....
- Diana. Purest white with yellow base. Extra fine handsome flower and one of the finest white early Tulips in existence. We strongly recommend it.
- Fred Moore. Dark orange; very tall; early... Golden yellow; sweet-scented; a Goldfinch.
- splendid sort. Hobbema (Sarah Bernhardt). Crushed
- Strawberry; distinct and lovely...... Ibis. Deep rose, flushed white at the bottom of the petals and yellow base. A beautiful flower of great substance and brilliant
- coloring..... Joost Van Vondel. Large; cherry-red and white; splendid.....
- Keizerskroon. Red and gold; large and fine. A grand Tulip.....
- Kohinoor. The darkest red single early Tulip. Flowers are finely shaped and of a rich velvety deep crimson. A fine variety for massing..
- Lady Borcel. White. Silvery white; magnificent flower; the finest.....
- La Reine Maximus. A great improvement of the old variety La Reine which is no longer a satisfactory bloomer. Flowers are twice the size of the old variety and of the same lovely rosy white La Riante. Most lovely bright pink, shaded
- carmine-rose; very attractive. Max Havelaar. Blood orange, flushed salmon rose; a unique variety with striking color. Fine for bedding and forcing . .
- McKinley. Inside orange-red; outside rosyred shaded orange—unique and very bright color
- Mon Tresor. Yellow; extra fine; best yellow for early forcing
- Moonbeam. Primrose yellow, with lighter yellow edge. An exceptionally large open flower. A magnificent variety and in our
- opinion the finest yellow early...... Pink Beauty. True. Bright pink and white
- Primrose Queen. lovely for bedding or forcing Prince of Austria. True. Orange shaded
- scarlet; very fine ...
- Proserpine. Queen of Tulips. Silky carminerose; perfect form. Sweet-scented...... Queen Alexandra. Pure glowing carmine. A
- magnificent new variety for the border. Will give great satisfaction.....
- Rising Sun. Deepest golden yellow. Gigan-tic, long flower of elegant form borne on a strong stem 16 inches tall. By far the finest
- Van der Neer. Deep violet. Very large open flower beautifully formed. A superb bed-ding Tulip. Especially attractive when planted in combination with a primrose yellow variety
- Vermilion Brilliant (True). Dazzling scarlet; very striking.....
- White Beauty. This is a pure white sport of pink beauty and it is destined to become quite as popular as its parent. Flowers

- Doz. 100
- \$2.25 \$15.00
 - 4.00.60
 - .70 5.00
- .90 6.50
 - .85 6.00

 - 1.10 7.50
 - .75 5.50
 - 1.10 7.50
 - .90 6.50
 - .75 5.50

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- .90 6.50
- 1.5010.00
- 1.15 8.00
- 1.15 8.00
- .80 5.75

large, of fine substances and purest white. Doz. Each, \$0.15.....\$1.50 100 \$1.50 \$10.00 White Hawk (Albion). The finest pure white tulip in cultivation..... 5.00 .70

- White Swan. White, late, large and fine Extra Fine. Single Mixture. While the .60 bulbs are not as fine in quality as the named sorts listed above, they are, nevertheless, the first mixture it is possible to obtain. We finest mixture it is possible to obtain. We have discontinued all lesser grades as being untrustworthy. Price 1000, \$35.00,..... .55

A Hint of What the **Future** Holds

HE tulips, which your grandmother or even your) mother grew, are for the most part no longer seen in your garden having long since been supplanted by better varieties. The great Dutch Hybridists are still working upon tulips and it is likely that your grandchildren will not plant the early tulips which now give you so much joy. A new race of tulips which promises ultimately to replace the entire early group is being developed.

This new race will have the form and the substance of the Darwin group, will force easier and earlier than the single early group and will bloom nearly as early in the garden. The color range promises to be more gorgeous than either the Darwin or the early group.

It probably will be years before these new tulips will be available for general use, however, you maybe interested to know what your children's children are likely to plant. Therefore, we take pleasure in offering a very few of the new—

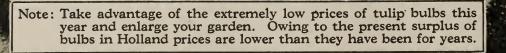
TRIUMPH TULIPS

	Each	Doz.	100
Acral. Soft lilac, with white edges on outer petals, pointed flower Albany. Petunia lilac, changing to	\$.25	\$2.75	\$20.00
mauve, feathered white, medium sized flower, elegant shape Astoria. Cream white, with broad edge	.25	2.75	20.00
of deep cherry rose, large flower, strong stem	.30	3.50	28.00
margin of deep carmine toward the edges of the petals Hydrus. Old rose, changing into a gold-	.30	3.50	28.00
en edge on outer petals; inside gold, fine regular shape Lord Carnavon. Light pink with white	.30	3.50	28.00
edges, white base; pointed flower on tall stem	.20	2.00	15.00
yellow, cream white base, very un- usual coloring	.25	2.75	20.00
flower Ohio. Carmine red, shaded violet pur-	.20	2.00	15.00
ple, white base; large loose flower of very attractive coloring Prof. Tendeloo. Deep amaranth red,	.25	2.75	20.00
shaded purple with broad margin of deep citron yellow, large flower	.30	3.00	25.00

See Special Tulips in Color

4.00

3.75



Double Early Tulips

A TULIP WITH A LONGER LIFE

Elliott's Double Early Tulips Last Much Longer Than Single Varieties

HE gods gave Achilles his choice between a short life of glory and a long life of ease-and Achilles Chose to die a young hero.

Because the brief but glorious life of the single Tulip makes it a sort of "Floral Achilles", horti-

cultural genius has given us the Double Early Tulip to carry on where the single species leaves off. This sturdy, robust bulb has a much longer life than the old variety and gives a brilliantly massive flower which blooms just a bit later. The fact that it lasts twice as long and has a double blossom merely makes this variety doubly attractive!

De	oz.	100		Doz.	100
Boule de Niege (White Peony). New pure			Imperator rubrorum. Brilliant scarlet; fine		
white, large, peony-like flower, splendid \$.75	\$5.50	for forcing and one of the grandest for		
Crown of Gold. Splendid yellow; fine for			bedding	\$.90	6.50
forcing	.85	6.00	La Candeur. Pure white; a splendid bedding		
Cochineal. Scarlet	.85	6.00	kind		5.00
Electra. Sport of Murillo. Carmine red.			Lac Van Haarlem. Brilliant rosy velvet; a		
Beautiful color, larger and more double than			unique color; very large flower	.90	6.50
	1.25	9.00	La Grandesse. Dark pink; large and very	· ·	
Gloria Solis. Deep scarlet edge, with bright			double		6.00
	.75	5.50	Lord Beaconsfield. Dark pink; very double		
Golden King. Pure canary yellow. A very			and large	.85	6.00
large beautiful flower. The finest of the			Lucretia. Fine pink; large	.70	5.00
yellow Double Tulips. Very effective.			Mr. Van der Hoef. A yellow sport of Murillo		
Height, 13 inches.	1.10	7.50	with all its superb qualities. One of the		

Double Tulips Last Twice as Long

very finest of the primrose yellow Double Tulips. A very lovely flower. Height, 13 inches,

- Mystery of India. The color is terra cotta with bronze and rose, a combination hard to describe but exceedingly beautiful. The flower is of tremendous size and very double and the stem is longer and stiffer than is usual in tulips of this group.
- MURILLO. Delicate blush-pink. A very fine flower with a lovely color. An old variety but still one of the handsomest of the Double Tulips. It forces very easily.....
- Peach Blossom. Deep rosy-pink, deepening with age to a deep rose. A very fine flower with a wonderful color. A new variety of superb quality, which we are glad to recom-mend. Height, 12 inches. Prince of Orange. Bright, rich orange; large
- flower....
- Rose d'Amour. Extra fine; delicate pink; a beauty ...
- Rubra maxima. Early; bright red; splendid bedder, taking the place of Rex rubrorum ... Salvator Rosa. White and deep rose. A sur-
- passingly beautiful flower
- Schoonoord. A pure white sport of Murillo; very beautiful large flowers. The finest of the pure white Double Tulips.....
- Tea Rose (Brimstone Beauty). Yellow, shaded apricot, distinct and lovely
- Tournesol. Red and yellow. A most show-
- striking flower. Titian. Crimson-scarlet, edged with golden-
- vellow, fine for bedding...... Toreador. Reddish orange and yellow..... Vuurbaak. Bright vermilion; splendid...... Extra fine double mixed Tulips. While
- these bulbs are not as fine in quality as the named sorts listed above, they are nevertheless the finest mixture it is possible to obtain. We have discontinued all lesser grades as being untrustworthy, 1,000, \$40.00

binations are endless.

Elliott Nursery Company Pittsburgh, Pa. Gentlemen:

Mix Your Tulips By Color THE most effective method of using Tulips is to take advantage of their color varieties. Early Double Tulips come in a wide range of tints and hues, and the practice of planting rows of a different color gives truly delightful effects. Those who like startling contrasts get as much fun out of Tulips as those who prefer delicate tints since the color com-

I have certainly been greatly pleased with the way you have filled my past orders. Not only were the bulbs much larger than I had received from other nursery men but the flowers were a constant source of admiration and pleasure. Our lawn was visited every afternoon while they were in bloom by people who said re-peatedly, "They did not know such tulips were in existence." I honestly believe my tulips superior to any in the Government bulb farm. Sincerely yours,

Doz. 100

1.00	\$7.00
.85	6.00
.65	4.50
	6.50 8.50
.90	6.50 5.50
	5.50
.75	5.50



.85	6.00
.85	6.00
1.15	8.00



.65

Centralia, Wash.

Crown of Gold Double Tulip



Murillo Tulip

(Signed) DARL F. VINCENT Double Tulips Are Ideal for Bedding

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4.50

A Tulip Color Guide

O^N the following four pages you will find a concise result of many weeks of experiment: four varieties of Tulips correctly blended by color. Mr. R. F. Elliott, himself an accomplished landscape architect, worked with these combinations until he had four groups of five different bulbs expressing the best in color harmony. You will get the best results by considering each page as a unit, planting all five bulbs in equal numbers and thus capitalizing their striking effect en masse.

	Special Varieties Illustrated	d	Special Varieties Illustrated
	In Color on Page 20		in Color on Page 19
	No. 1—Bronze Queen (Breeder). Soft Buff,	100	No. 1-Copernicus Doz. 100 (Breeder) Finest light brown and rose Breeder
	No. 2—Isis (Darwin).	.25	tulip \$1.10 \$7.50 No. 2 - Louis XIV (Breeder). Considered
		.25	one of the most beau- tiful tulips in cultivation. Rich purple shading to
	No. 3—John Ruskin (Cottage). Deep rose salmon, edged pale yel- low. Inside lilac suf-		golden bronze near the edges of the petals. The very finest of tulips 1.50 10.00 No.3—Euterpe(Darwin).
	fused with soft rose and yellow margin. Very long flower of exquisite		Silvery lavender edged pale lilac. Base white and blue. A long flower
	beauty. We recom- mend it highly. Height,	4.50	of beautiful shape, the finest lavender to plant with bronze Breeder
	No. 4—Velvet King (Breeder). The finest deep purple maroon		tulips. Excellent for forcing
	No. 5 – Remembrance (Darwin). Bluish lilac of a silvery character. In-	9.00	(Breeder). The best bright blue violet. A very striking tulip 1.50 10.00 No. 5-Baronne de la
City of Haarlem	side deep violet. A grand variety. Height 25 in- ches	5.50	Tonnaye (Darwin). Vivid Pink. A superb Blue Celeste variety
Secolal			
	Offer of Varieties Illustrated		Special Offer of Varieties Illustrated
	n Color on Page 20	1.50	Collection No. 5 In Color on Page 19
Collection No. 2	h of the 5 varieties (25 bulbs) \$	1.00	Five bulbs each of the 5 varieties (25 bulbs) \$1.85 Collection No. 6
	of the 5 varieties (50 bulbs)	2.80	Ten bulbs each of the 5 varieties (50 bulbs) 3.50
Collection No. 3		0	Collection No. 7
Twenty bulbs Collection No. 4	each of the 5 varieties (100 bulbs)	5.50	Twenty bulbs each of the 5 varieties (100 bulbs) 6.75 Collection No. 8
Thirty bulbs bulbs)		8.00	Thirty bulbs each of the 5 varieties above (150 bulbs) 10.00
"G	old Medal Darwir	1s"	-The Best to be Had
			ss of cost have built up an enormous demand for the

HE Elliott customers who want the best regardless of cost have built up an enormous demand for the O"Gold Medal Darwins" listed below. Many began with the cheaper grades and found the results so remarkable that their enthusiasm has naturally carried them far beyond price. We can say, in all candor, that these bulbs have never been surpassed!

Doz. 100 Doz. 100 Blue Celeste. Violet purple with white base. scarlet overlaid with dull bloom. \$1.75 \$12.00 A fine flower of excellent form. Height, 30 inches. Each, \$0.25...... Centenaire. Violet rose, lighter toward the Duchess of Hohenberg. Lilac mauve with deep heliotrope flush through center of \$2.75 petals. Large, long flower of exquisite color-ing carried on a very tall elegant stem. Height, 30 inches..... Each .20..... edge. A fine large flower of perfect shape... City of Haarlem. Magnificent brilliant deep .60 4.00 2.25 16.00

5% For Cash Before July 1st, 1928



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5 BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE







SPECIAL AND IMPORT PRICES FOR FALL OF 1928

Special Varieties Illustrated In Color on Page 22

In Color on Lage 22	Doz.	100
No. 1-Sophrosyne (Darwin). Flesh-colored,	1902.	100
rose, bordered silvery white; charming	\$.65	\$4.50
 No. 2—Viking (Darwin). Violet with pale lavender edges, a very stately Darwin of exquisite coloring and very large size. Height, 27 inches. No. 3—Afterglow (Darwin). Deep orange suffused with salmon and salmon edge. Large flower of good substance and unusual 	.75	5.50
 Clarge hower of good substance and undstance of coloring. Carried on a tall stately stem. Height, 26 inches. No. 4—Bleu Aimable (Darwin). Beautiful lilac. Inside violet with white base and blue 	1.20	8.50
star. Height, 25 inches	.75	5.50
No. 5—Aphrodite (Darwin). The finest clear rose tulip	2.25	15.00
Special Varieties Illustrated		
In Color on Page 21		
No. 1-Vulcain (Breeder). Reddish apricot with broad margin of bright buff yellow, in- side darker. Beautifully shaped flower in a		į

side darker. Beautifully shaped flower in a		
color unlike any other	1.50°	10.00
No. 2-Bacchus (Breeder). Darkest blue with		
deep violet brown. The finest of the dark		
blue Breeder Tulips	1.65	11.00
No. 3-Princess Elizabeth (Darwin). A long		
flower of the deepest pink, splendid for	60	4.00
breeding	.60	4.00
No. 4-Madras (Breeder). Splendid dark	CF	1 50
bronze	.65	4.50
No. 5—Eclipse (Darwin). The finest deep red Darwin Tulip.		10.00
Darwin Tulip	1.75	12.00

Special Offers of Varieties Illustrated in Color on Page 22

Three bulbs each of the 5 varieties	\$2.20
Collection No. 10 Six bulbs each of the 5 varieties.	4.10
Collection No. 11 Twelve bulbs each of the 5 varieties	7.85
Collection No. 12 Twenty-five bulbs each of the 5	7.00
varieties above	11 75

trated in Color on Page 21 Collection No. 13 Three bulbs each of the 5 varieties Collection No. 14 Six bulbs each of the 5 varieties.. Collection No. 15 Twelve bulbs each of the 5 varieties Collection No. 16 \$2.35 4.50

Special Offers of Varieties Illus-

8.75 Collection No. 16 Twenty-five bulbs each of the 5 varieties above.....

13.00

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Glory of Walworth

"GOLD MEDAL" DARWIN TULIPS

(Continued from page 18)

Faust. The finest deep purple maroor Darwin		100	La Fiancee. Beautiful old rose shading into	Doz.
tulip	\$1.00	\$7.00	delicate pink at the margin of the petals.	
Giant. Deep purple with reddish glow. Base			Base blue. A large full flower of artistic color-	
white and blue. Enormous flower on strong			ing and excellent substance. Height, 30	
stem. Height, 28 inches	1 10	7 50	inches.	\$1.25
Ol NULL AND TRUE	1.10	7.50	Louis de la Valliere. Bright sherry-rose, blue	
Glory of Walworth. Heliotrope lilac, edged			base marked white. A Tulip of remarkable	
with paler lilac. Long full flower with petals			base marked white. A lump of remarkable	
slightly incurved at top. A flower of un-			beauty and very clear coloring. One of the	
surpassed beauty. Height, 28 inches	1.00	7.00	showiest of the Darwins. Height. 24 inches.	2.25
Gryphus. Brilliant, deep shiny purple. A			Each. \$0.20	4.40
remarkably fine flower of excellent lasting			Princess Mary. Exquisite deep pure rose.	
quality. The best of its color. Height,			Very large substantial flowers borne on very	
26 inches	1 15	8.00	tall stems. The tallest and most perfect of	
	1.10	0.00	the real rose Darwins. Decidedly the finest	
Jubilee. Rich blue-purple with white and blue			in every respect. Do not confuse this variety	
base. One of the best blue Darwins grown.			with "Queen Mary" another Darwin white.	
Flower very large of open form and excellent			Each, \$0.60	6.50
substance. Strongly recommended. Height,			Prince of Wales. Brilliant crimson flushed	
29 inches	1.25	9.00	scarlet. Huge flower borne on tall stem.	
King George V. The finest brilliant scarlet			A striking color for outdoor planting.	
Darwin Tulip. Each, \$0.20	2.25	15.00	Each, \$0.20	2.25
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Elliott Bulbs Are Perfect and Low Priced

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15.00

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\$9.00

Jubilee

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MR. R. F. ELLIOTT PERSONALLY INSPECTING THE FLOWERS OF A LEADING DUTCH GROWER. DARWIN-PRINCE OF TULIPS

Generations of Evolution in Tulip Culture Have Resulted in the Darwin

OT only we who sell them - but, what is more important, those who buy them are enthusiastic about Elliott's Darwin Tulips. For instance:

"I want to praise your bulbs I purchased two years ago," writes Mrs. W. D. Kneessi, of Riverdale, Maryland. "The Darwin Tulips are gorgeous and

FOR PERMANENT PLANTING

Darwins are most valuable for permanent planting. They bloom for years and are, therefore, highly prized for use in shrubberies and borders. This variety thrives better than the early Tulips in California and the Southern states.

have more than tripled in quantity. They are the admiration of the town and I'm only sorry I haven't room for hundreds more.'

The files in our main office are literally full of letters just like this.

GENERAL LIST OF DARWIN TULIPS

Andre Doria. Deep velvety maroon with black base. One of the finest border varieties of its	Doz.	100
base. One of the finest border varieties of its		
color and of a low price. Will give great satisfaction	\$.75	\$5.50
Ariadne. Brilliant, scarlet with blue base;	<i>ψιι</i> υ	φ0.00
splendid bedder	.65	4.75
Beethoven. Beautiful, soft rose-pink, shading		
to silvery pink	.75	5.50
Bartigon. Fiery crimson, white center	.50	3.50

What could we tell you about Elliott's Darwins that would be more illuminating?

- CLARA BUTT. Delicate salmon-pink; one of the oldest varieties among the Darwins. It is enjoying a great popularity because of its lovely color, fine flower and reasonable price, and it remains one of the very best. Height, 25 inches. Per 1000, \$32.50.....
- CREPUSCLE. Very pale lilac with deep rose flush at the tip of petals. A large beautiful flower on a tall stem. Height, 28 inches....

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Dal Ongaro. Pale lavender-violet, inside deep	2		FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Brilliant scarlet.		
lavender with white base	. \$.60	\$4.25	A very handsome large flower of intense		
DREAM. Beautiful lilac with flush of deep	o ,		coloring. One of the finest and largest of		
heliotrope. A very handsome variety which			the brilliant colored varieties. Height, 25		
should be known better. Height, 25 inches.			inches. Per 1,000, \$35.00	\$.60	4.00
Edmee. Vivid rosy pink	60	4.00	Flamingo. Uniform shell pink. Pointed		
Ethel Roosevelt. Lovely rose-colored flowers	;		flower of elegant shape. Very attractive.		
very sweet-scented	. 1.00	7.00	Height, 28 inches	.70	5.00
Europe. Brilliant scarlet-carmine	55	3.75			4.00



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Gretchen. Delicate flesh color, very lovely	\$.55	\$3.75
Harry Veitch. Brilliant, blood-red	.60	4.00
King Harold. Deepest red with purple base;		
fine garden sort	.60	4.00
La Tristesse. Dull slaty blue, with white		
base; very distinct	.65	4.50
La Tulipe Noire. Comes nearest of all to		
black; flowers of enormous size	.75	5.50
L'Ingenue. White suffused with delicate		
rose, shading to deeper rose in the center		
of the petals. A magnificent flower of exquisite beauty. Height, 27 inches	.60	4.25
exquisite beauty. Height, 27 inches		
Madame Krelage. Pink, light bordered; extra	.55	3.75
Marconi. Large violet flower with yellow	~*	
center; distinct	.65	4.75
Massachusetts. Light pink; large flower	.55	3.75
MATTIA. Brilliant rosy-red, shaded lilac.		
blue base. Lasts longer in bloom than any		
blue base. Lasts longer in bloom than any other variety, splendid	.65	4.50
MELICETTE. The finest soft-lavender Dar-		
win Tulips	.75	5.50
Mrs. Potter Palmer. Bright purplish violet;		
fine, large flower	.65	4.50
Nora Ware. Silvery lilac, shaded white;		
extremely beautiful	.60	4.00
Ouida. Bright scarlet; very tall; best scarlet		
bedder	.60	4.00
Painted Lady. Milk-white on dark stem:		
an effective combination	.55	3.75
Philippe de Commines. Velvety dark violet.	.60	4.00

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Pride of Haarlem. Rosy carmine. A very brilliant large flower and one which we can recommend highly. It has become one of the most popular, and with good reason. Height, 25 inches. Per 1,000, \$52.50	\$.50	\$3.50
Prince of the Netherlands. Brilliant rosy scarlet, shaded deep salmon-rose. A very large handsome variety of stately bearing. One of the showiest for the border. Height, 30 inches	.65	4.50
	.00	4.50
Princess Juliana. Salmon-orange-scarlet, a remarkable and beautiful flower	.70	5.00
Professor Rauwenhoff. Full cherry-rose, with ivory-white and blue star at base; flower		
of enormous size; very tall	.60	4.00
Psyche. Soft salmon-rose, very lovely; borne on long, stiff stems	.60	4.00
Purple Perfection. Glossy claret-purple; large cup-shaped flower	.75	5.50
QUEEN MARY. The finest cerise-rose Dar- win Tulip	.90	6.50
QUEEN OF THE BRILLIANTS. Bright rosy- carmine; large showy flower of erect habit	.65	4.50
REMEMBRANCE. Bluish lilac of silvery character. Inside deep violet. A grand variety. Height, 25 inches	.75	5.50
Reverend Ewbank. Soft, silvery heliotrope with silver-gray flush darkening towards the base, a beautiful color	.50	3.50



Clara Butt Tulip

Dream Tulip

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- RONALD GUNN. Deep violet blue shading to lilac at the edge. One of the most beautiful blue Darwins for indoor culture and forcing...
- SALMONEA. Clear rose pink with amber leaves. A truly beautiful and unusual variety...... Sieraad Van Flora. Bright red, with blue base,
- magnificent flower of a very distinct color..... Sir Trevor Lawrence. Lilac-blue, an enormous
- 1.10 flower on tall-stem. VALENTINE. The finest soft heliotrope Darwin
- The best Darwin Tulip for forcing. It may be
- large flower of gorgeous coloring. A very fine
- border variety... White Queen. Clear white, tinged delicate
- blush... Yolande. Soft salmon-rose with lighter yellow base. A very fine flower of exquisite coloring. Very fine when planted in front of evergreens.
- Each \$0.20. . . . :
- Zanzibar. Rich, glossy, maroon, center dark blue and white; large, fine flower.....

- Fine Mixed Darwin Tulips. Per 1,000 \$32.50 100 Darwin Tulips. In 25 named varieties (not
- less than 100 furnished).....

A "GET ACQUAINTED" OFFER OF DARWIN TULIPS

IF you have never used Elliott's Darwin Tulips and would like to try out a test planting, the following listing gives you a prime cross-section of the Darwin group to work from. Here you have everything you need in color and form, each selection being identical to the others except for quantity. These special introductory collections are a great convenience to those chiefly interested in a trial order since it eliminates the trouble of individual selection.

COLLECTIONS OF NAMED DARWIN TULIPS

Collection W. 1 each of 15 choice and tested varieties, 15 in all.	\$.75
Collection X. 3 each of 15 choice and tested varieties, 45 in all	2.00
Collection Y. 6 each of 15 choice and tested varieties, 90 in all.	3.75
Collection Z. 12 each of 15 choice and tested varieties,	
180 in all	7.25
These prices do not include delivery, but bulbs will be by parcel post when requested and postage charged at co	sent st.

Positively No Orders Accepted for These Collections After July 1st, 1928

DARWIN TULIPS Elliott's Hand Made Mixture

Guaranteed to Contain 10 Distinct Varieties

-All Named Above-

25 FOR \$1.10

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THE usual method of preparing a mixture of anything is to take so many of this, so many of that and so many of the other, throw them in a pile, and mix them with a wooden shovel. A mixture so made is a perfectly honest mixture but what an individual customer gets out of it is obviously the result of chance.

For advance orders only, we will prepare a hand-made mixture. Our new bulb warehouse, the finest thing of its kind in the world, contains a thousand bins. Every day, as required, ten employees will count out five bulbs each from ten named stocks and dump the fifty bulbs into one bin, repeating the operation until all of the bins are filled. Each bin will contain fifty bulbs and no more. Consequently to every customer who orders fifty bulbs of this mixture, we guarantee that he will receive ten named varieties, five bulbs of each variety. We further guarantee that all the varieties used are offered in the foregoing named list. We cannot afford, at this price, to pack the bulbs under separate names nor allow the customer to specify what varieties shall be included. The choice of varieties must be left entirely to us.

Customers wishing less than fifty bulbs will have their orders counted from one of these bins. Excepting where the order calls for bulbs in multiples of fifty, we cannot guarantee that they will be filled with equal quantities of the ten named varieties but it is probable that they will be.

To the best of our knowledge and belief no bulb house in the world has ever before undertaken to prepare a mixture as fine as this and it will probably be years before anyone else can attempt it.

MAY FLOWERING COTTAGE TULIPS

TO MAKE YOUR GARDEN COMPLETE

HERE are many who prefer the fragile delicacy of the Cottage Tulip to the sturdy massiveness of the other types. Stately, refined, old fashioned they are the sign of the Complete Garden!

Note: Take advantage of the extremely low prices of tulip bulbs this year and enlarge your garden. Owing to the present surplus of bulbs in Holland prices are lower than they have been for years.

We'll Make Up an Assortment If You Wish

SPECIAL AND IMPORT PRICES FOR FALL OF 1928

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- Amber Crown. Pale yellow with broad stripe of lilac brown through center of petals. Base green. A beautiful variety. Height, 18 inches.....
- Avis Kennicott. Rich deep yellow, with black base. A very large flower and one of the best bright yellow Cottage Tulips. Height, 25 inches.....
- Bouton d'Or. Deep golden yellow; of great value for outdoor cutting. Splendid......
- Carnation. The old English Picotee. Snowwhite, changing to carmine-rose, exquisitely beautiful....
- Carrara. Enormous pure white flower on a tall stem. An unusual novelty since it is the first really fine pure white Cottage tulip. This variety fills a most important place in the Cottage group since it gives us the one color which has heretofore been unprocurable necessary to complete our color schemes in the glorious late tulips. Each \$.40....
- Columbus. Clear yellow with broad red stripe through the center of petals. A huge flower and very showy...
- Dido. Soft orange-red gradually suffusing to a deep red at the extremes of the petals. The inside of the flower is a clear brilliant orange without a blemish and strikingly beautiful. The base of the flower is black bordered deep yellow. A flower of gorgeous extravagance in color and royally placed on a tall strong stem
- 30 inches high. Each \$.30..... Doris. Soft lilac-rose, flushed rose; blue and green base.
- Elegans. Rich crimson scarlet. A very showy flower with elegant reflexed petals, on a very tall stem
- Elegans alba. Large white flower of exquisite gracefulness. Each petal reflexing and margined with rosy carmine. One of the most lovely Cottage Tulips in existence.
- Height, 20 inches. Ellen Willmott. One of the finest Cottage Tulips. Flowers very large, exquisitely shaped, of a soft creamy yellow, deliciously fragrant. Height, 18 inches.....
- Emerald Gem. Bronze, flushed rose, with a deep green base. A very beautiful variety. Height, 20 inches.....
- Fairy Queen. Soft rosy heliotrope, suffused with salmon yellow. A very large flower, with a lovely color. Height, 20 inches.
- Flava. Lemon yellow; large beautiful flower on a tall stiff stem. A fine variety to plant among the pink lavender and lilac Darwin Tulips. Will remain in bloom longer than almost any other Cottage Tulip. Height, 25 inches. Each, \$.25.....
- Gesneriana aurantiaca maculata (Orange Globe). Large; brilliant orange; extra fine ...
- Gesneriana spathulata. For bedding out in masses it deserves to be largely grown. Height, 18-24 inches. Flowers of enormous size, on long, graceful stems. Color rich crimson-scarlet, with glittering blue-black center. The demand for this grand Tulip has been so great that it is very difficult to get flowering bulbs. To be sure of getting bulbs that will bloom, we pay a premium in Holland for guaranteed bulbs. This makes them higher priced, but our bulbs will bloom satisfactorily.
- Gesneriana ixioides. Beautiful yellow, with

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Gesneriana lutea. Pure yellow, extra fine	\$.60	\$4.00
Glare of the Garden. Immense scarlet		
flowers	.75	5.50
Golden Crown. Yellow. Slightly edged with		
red. Fine for bedding	.55	3.75
Hammer Hales. Golden brown, suffused with		0170
old rose. Inside apricot with yellow edge		
and green base. A very long beautiful flower.		
Height, 24 inches	.90	6.50
Honeymoon. Large fine flowers of the softest	.90	0.50
primrose. Unusually tall growing up to 36		
inches and therefore the most desirable		
variety for planting among the Darwin tulips.		
In the Darwin tulip group no satisfactory		

yellow has yet been developed. Each, \$0.20

Elliott Nursery Company

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

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Please be sure to send me a bulb catalogue as

I have an order ready to send in as soon as I get the price list. I have enjoyed the bulbs I

got from you six or seven years ago as much or more than anything I have ever had, and I want

to add some more varieties to those I already

have. I think your bulbs are wonderful, and I

speak a good word for Elliott's whenever I can. Most sincerely (Signed) WINIFRED M. SHAFER



Tulip Inglescombe Pink

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Cottage Tulip "Picotee"

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- Idyll. Lively rose of fine texture. Inside A very lovely variety..... Clear yellow, flamed deep salmon-pink. Illuminator. orange. A very large flower with a striking color. Very effective when planted among shrubbery or evergreens. Height, 25 inches. Each, \$0.15 . .
- Innocence. One of the very few pure white Cottage Tulips and by far the best. A large flower of fine form and stately bearing. Height, 20 inches. Each \$0.25 Inglescombe Pink. Salmon-pink; blue base;
- very brilliant, per 1000, \$32.50
- Inglescombe Scarlet. Brilliant scarlet; enor-
- mous flower Inglescombe Yellow. Glossy canary-yellow. The large globular flower has the true shape of the Darwin Tulip, hence it is called the Yellow Darwin, per 1000, \$37.50
- Isabella, or Blushing Bride (Shandon Bells). Beautiful rose-pink, slightly shaded white;
- a most superb and distinct variety..... Kingfisher. Soft yellow ground, feathered maroon and violet with green base. A very unique color combination. Height 18 inches. Each, \$0.20 .
- Konigskroon. Red and yellow, like Keizerskroon, but late-flowering.....
- La Merveille. A magnificent variety, with large, sweet-scented, orange red flowers.... Mentor. Flowers of the deepest scarlet, well
- formed and robust, growing on a strong stem. Moonlight. New. Light, soft yellow, enor-
- mous flower. Mrs. Kerrell. Soft rose with salmon border. Base blue and white. Large open flower with pointed petals. A lovely variety.
- Height, 18 inches. Mrs. Moon. Pure yellow, large. The best of all yellow late Tulips; sweet-scented
- Nectar. Beautiful deep carmine pink flowers slightly reflexed, graceful in form. Blooms earlier than the other Cottage tulips. Very
- strongly recommended..... Orange King. Beautiful bright orange, very large flower.
- Picotee, or Maiden's Blush. Long; clear white; the petals, which are pointed and elegantly reflexed, are beautifully margined and penciled on edges with bright pink

Picotee Yellow. The yellow counterpart of		
the above variety. Flowers are clear yellow		
with a narrow border of crimson which suf-		
fuses the flower as it ages. A lovely graceful		
	\$.65	\$4.50
variety. Primrose Beauty. Primrose, bordered rose; a		
beautiful Tulip	.55	3.75
Pride of Inglescombe. White, edged carmine-	,00	00
rose; long, pointed flower; beautiful, .20 each	2.25	
Quaintness. Golden bronze with old rose	2,20	
flush. A very unusual and beautiful color		
combination. One of the finest varieties.	0.75	
Height, 20 inches. Each, \$0.25	2,75	
Retroflexa. Splendid yellow flower, with	CF	
elegantly recurved petals; fine for cutting	,65	4.75
Royal White. Large; pure white; of great	~ ~	
substance	,85	6.00
Sirene. Glistening satiny rose with paler edges.		
One of the Lily-shaped varieties of exquisite		
beauty. Height, 16 inches	,85	6.00
Solfatara. Soft sulphur-yellow; a large grace-		
ful flower with reflexing petals	,75	5.50
Solferine. Creamy white, with narrow border		
of soft yellow. Long, eggshaped flower of		
of soft yellow, Long, eggshaped flower of a most lovely color. Unsurpassed when		
planted in the shade. Height, 24 inches	1,50	10.00
The Fawn. Large; light grayish rose, changing	-,	
to rosy white. Distinct	.60	4.00
Twilight. Light violet ground, flamed deep	,	1.00
violet and bronze with distinct white stripe		
through the center of each petal and a white		
base. A very long finely shaped flower of an		
unusually rich coloring. Height, 23 inches.	1 50	10.00
Each \$0.15 Union Jack. Salmon-pink and bronze-striped.	1,00	10.00
Union Jack. Salmon-pink and bronze-striped.	.75	5.50
Unique and effective	,75	0.00
Walter T. Ware. The deepest and richest of		
all the yellow Cottage Tulips. A remark-		
ably beautiful flower of great substance.	1.75	
Height, 18 inches. Each \$0.20	1,75	
Zomerschoon. Pure white ground. Flaked		
and feathered salmon-rose. Base white. A beautiful formed flower of unusual clear		
A beautiful formed flower of unusual clear		
coloring. Height, 20 inches. Each \$0.50	5,50	
May-flowering Special Mixture. 1000, \$32.50	.50	3.50



Cottage Tulip Mrs. Moon

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The Gorgeous Parrot Tulips

MOST curious and unique of the Tulips family, the Parrot variety is highly prized by those who love the picturesque. Their brilliant hues and their fringed, parrot-like form combine in an effect that is startling and extravagantly colorful. Mass a quantity of Parrot Tulips in a bed and you will have something that will make passersby stop and gape in amazement!

Not only are Elliott's *double-tested* Parrot Tulips easy to grow when properly planted, but they are also ideal for cut flowers. If you have a spot of light, sandy soil in a sunny location, you will get remarkable results with these bulbs.

	Doz.	· 100
Admiral of Constantinople. Fine red	\$.65	\$4.50
Cafe Brun. Brown and yellow stripe	.65	4.50
Lutea Major. Yellow; very fine free-blooming	.65	4.50
Markgraaf von Baden. True, orange-striped		
scarlet; extra fine	.65	4.50
Perfecta. Yellow and scarlet; large flower	.65	4.50
Rubra Major. The finest red of all	.65	4.50
Fine Mixed. \$38.00 per 1,000	.60	4.00

LATE SHOW TULIPS

Here we have the original strain from which most other Tulips have been developed—the flower that caused the great Tulip craze of 1635 about which we have already spoken.

Until the early 1800's this variety of Tulip remained in disuse except in England, but of late years some remarkable improvements have been made in its color and habits. Patient hybridizing has added many gorgeous creations to the range, and today the Late Show Tulip is again highly prized everywhere.

Garden experts used them freely for planting in clumps by themselves; among shrubbery and evergreen borders; by the water's edge or near a fountain.

	Doz.	100
Absalom (Bizards). Orange, feathered brown		
and yellow, very tall	\$1.10	\$7.50
Amphion (Bybloems). Violet, brown and	1 50	10.00
Apollo (Rembrandt). Lilac rose and white,	1.50	10.00
striped dark carmine	1.10	7.50
Athalia (Bybloems). White, bordered and	1.10	7.50
feathered rose	1.20	8.50
Black Boy (Bizards). Dark brown with gold		
and gray feathered black	1.10	7.50
Duke of Montrose (Bizards). Bronze, feath-		
ered golden yellow Fancy (Bizards). Yellow, flamed brown		8.00
Glory of Holland (Bybloems). Pure white,	1.50	10.00
bordered and feathered violet	1.50	10.00
Le Duel (Bizards). Bright yellow, feathered	1.00	10.00
dark brown, very beautiful	1.50	10.00
Le Printemps (Rembrandt). Lilac and white,		
flamed dark red.	1.10	7.50
Marco Spads (Rembrandt). White, flamed	1.10	
fiery red. Ponceau Transparent (Bybloems). Beau-	1.10	7.50
tiful rose-red, striped white	1.50	10.00
Procles (Rembrandt). Violet flamed black	1.50	10.00
and white	1.10	7.50
Quasimodo (Rembrandt). White feathered		
carmine	1.10	7.50
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Red Prince (Rembrandt). Rose, flamed fiery	Doz.	100
red	\$1.10	7.50
Reine de Holland (Bybloems). Dark red and white	1.20	8.50
Romeo (Bizards). Yellow, feathered and bordered orange red Vondel (Bybloems). Dark Violet-blue, feath-	1.10	7.50
Vondel (Bybloems). Dark Violet-blue, feath- ered white	1.75	12.00

LATE SHOW TULIP COLLECTIONS

Bizarres. Red, on yellow ground, choice		
mixed varieties	.65	4.50
100 bulbs, in 10 named varieties — not less	•	
than 100 bulbs supplied		6.50
Bybloems. Red on white ground. Choicest	00	
mixed	.80	5.75
100 bulbs, in 10 named varieties-not less		7.50
than 100 bulbs supplied.		1.50
Rembrandt Tulips. Fine Mixed. Rem-		
brandt Tulips are Darwin Tulips, but very	75	5.50
queerly striped and feathered 100 Rembrandt Tulips in 20 named varieties	.75	- 5.50
(not less than 100 furnished)		6.50
Violettes. Violet, on white ground. Choicest		0.50
	.85	6.00
mixed 100 bulbs, in 10 varieties—not less than	.00	0.00
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DOUBLE LATE TULIPS

Blue Celeste (Blue Flag). Soft Violet-blue	1.00	7.00
	Yellow, sweet-scented	.70	5.00
Pensee Rose.	Salmon-pink	2.25	



Tulip Parrot

Banks Pay 4% We Pay 5% for Cash

ELLIOTT NURSERY CO., PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

THE ARISTOCRATIC BREEDER TULIP

FOR this, among all the Tulips, fairly breathes aristocracy, refinement and nobility. Its color defies Man and fragrance is the kind that will never be imprisoned in a crystal bottle by some commercial perfumer. We can only urge you to make space for it if you want a garden that will do justice to your artistry and your taste.

Note: Take advantage of the extremely low prices of tulip bulbs this year and enlarge your garden. Owing to the present surplus of bulbs in Holland prices are lower than they have been for years.

Elliott Gets the Cream of the Supply

Apricot. Dull, bronzy buff, shaded ruddy	Doz.	100	
Attraction. Light bluish violet, inside glowing	\$1.10	\$7.50	1
purple, white base	1.25	9.00	
Abd-el-Kader. Dull copper bronze with lighter edge. Inside deep bronze with green base.			
Height, 26 inches. A beautiful variety. Should be used with other bronze and brown Breeders	1.25	9.00	
Cardinal Manning. Dark rosy violet	.85	9.00 6.00	
Charles Dickens. Deep rose with white base. Large flower of excellent color. Fine for the			100
border. Height, 22 inches	1.00	7.00	1
Chestnut. Very dark chestnut brown. A very beautiful color	.75	5.50	
Coridion. Clear yellow with lilac flush, the finest	1.75	12.00	
of its color Don Pedro. The finest deep coffee brown with	1.70		1 3
narrow edge golden brown Dryad. Old-rose flushed lilac. Edges of petals	1.50	10.00	1
light bronze. A very beautiful color combina-			
tion and one of the most magnificent of all the Breeder Tulips. It is still very scarce. Height,			1
22 inches. Favorite. Deep purple with reddish tint. Edge	1.50	10.00	
of petals lighter. Flower overlaid with slaty		6 50	
bloom. White base. Height, 29 inches.	.90	6.50	
Garibaldi. Light brown, suffused with lilac with broad edge of soft yellow; inside light bronze.			
Flower long with reflexing petals. Height, 31			
inches. One of the most beautiful varieties. Strongly recommended. Each, \$0.50	5.50		
General Ney. Dull old gold. A very beautiful color. Height, about 25 inches	1.00	7.00	
Gloria. Dark lilac with bronzy yellow edge. Base	1.00	7.00	
yellow. An exquisite color. Height, 21 inches. Flower medium size	1.10	7.50	
Golden Bronze. Beautiful bright golden brown. The best of its color	.70	5.00	
Goldfinder. Crimson flushed with orange. A			5 L
very striking color among the Breeders. Height, 26 inches	1.00	7.00	1
Gold Finch. Golden Bronze suffused with deep lilac through center of petals. Inside deep			1
bronze with lighter edge. Base yellow.			1
Pointed flowers on stately stem. Height, 29 inches. Each, \$0.20	2.25		· .
Groote Samson. Deep violet with light brown edge. Overlaid with a purple bloom. A large			
flower of exquisite coloring and beautiful form.	05	6.00	
Height, 25 inches. Hamlet. Dull rosy brown. A large full flower of	.85	6.00	
excellent quality. Height, 26 inches Heliose. A beautiful combination of deep brown	.85	6.00	1.1
and old rose. Inside deep brown edged golden			
bronze, base yellow. Large flowers with reflex- ing petals. A most exquisite variety. Height,		15.00	
28 inches. Each, \$0.20 Indian Chief. One of the largest and most beau-	2.25	15.00	
tiful Breeder Tulips ever introduced. The flower measures often eight inches in diameter,			
and is carried on a strong erect stem 33 inches			
high. Color, deep Indian red flushed with purple. Each, \$0.75	8.00		
Jaune d'Oeuf. Soft yellow with delicate lilac			
flush through center of petals, very beautifying. Height, 26 inches	.90	6.50	
La Singuliere. Silvery white margined dark margon-crimson which suffuses the flower with			100
age Le Mogol. Delicate lavender suffused with deep	1.50	10.00	
mauve. A medium sized flower of exquisite		C = C	
form and coloring. Height, 25 inches	.90 Senect		Bulb



Golden Bronze



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ELLIOTT NURSERY CO., PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA



Violet Queen



Prince Albert

	Doz.	100
Lord Cochrane. Deep brown with clear yellow edge. One of the best of the brown Breeders. Height, 28 inches.	\$1.25	\$9.00
Lucifer. Magnificent terra cotta orange with rosy bloom. Each, \$0.20	2.00	17.00
\$0.20 Mabel. Deep pink with white flush through center of the petals. A fine flower of unusually clear coloring. Height, 22 inches.	2.00	13.00
Each, \$0.12 Madam Lethierry. Crushed strawberry with salmon flush and	1.15	8.00
lighter-edged. A medium size flower of lovely color. Height, 25 inches.	1.25	9.00
Marechal Victor. Softest lavender, suffused, with pale violet and primrose, shading into glowing bronze toward the edges of the petals. A very large, rather loose cup-shaped flower of exquisite coloring and gracefulness. Each \$0.35	3.75	
Marie Louise. Rose flushed with yellow. A most pleasing com- bination of colors	.90	6.50
Medea. Salmon-carmine. One of the largest Tulips in cultivation Mr. Groenewegen. Light coppery yellow flushed lilac with	.75	5.50
rosy edge. A beautiful combination. Height, 27 inches Panorama. Deep orange-red, shaded mahogany; immense flower	.75	5.50
of marvelous beauty	.75	5.50
Pink Pearl. The coloring of the outside of the petals is an exquisite soft violet rose with a small white base. The inside of the petals pure white. Immense egg-shaped flower of most unusual coloring. Each, \$0.20		
unusual coloring. Each, \$0.20 Plutarchus. Beautiful bronze suffused with lilac. A magnificent	2.25	
variety Prince Albert. Golden brown with purple flush. Large loose	.85	6.00
flowers slightly reflexing. Base green. The finest of its color. Height, 32 inches	1.25	9.00
Prince of Orange. Orange red, light border	1.50	10.00
Oursen Alexandra Suff under under Levela	.75	5.50
Queen Alexandra. Soft sulphur-yellow. Lovely Saloman. Beautiful lilac, shaded silvery white. Inside deeper	.75	5.50
lilac with white base. Long loose flowers on stems 30 inches high. A magnificent variety	1.25	9.00
St. James. Lilac, edged tan, shaded light rose. Inside mahogany with golden brown edge. Very large flower on tall stem.		
Height, 28 inches. A superb exhibition variety.	.90	6.50
Superba. Maroon, covered with tender, ashy blooms. New and very attractive	1.00	7.0
Turenne. Dark blue, heavily flushed bronze at margin; very large flower of finest color and form	1.10	7.50
Violet Queen. The finest rose-velvet Breeder Tulip	.85	6.0
Virgilius. Violet purple. Beautiful egg-shaped flower. A striking novelty.	1.00	7.5
Wilberforce. Fine apricot, edged primrose. Inside apricot yellow. A beautiful flower on a very tall stem. Height,	1.00	7.0
32 inches		
Yellow Perfection. Light bronze yellow, edged golden Breeders. A special collection of 100 bulbs in twenty named	.90	6.5
varieties (not less than 100 bulbs supplied)		6.5
Breeders. All colors mixed, per 1000, \$37.50	.60	4.0

Baltimore, Maryland

Elliott Nursery Company Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen:

Please send the enclosed order in September or October. Your Breeder tulips are the loveliest I have ever seen. Every passerby stops and looks at them and exclaims over their gorgeous beauty, their length of stem, and how long they remain beautiful blooms.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) IDA S. HOFFMAN

THE NARCISSUS SITUATION As it Appears to the President of the Elliott Nursery Company

YOU know, of course, that by order of the Federal Department of Agriculture, French and Dutch Narcissus are outlawed and their importation prohibited. The fact that I personally consider this order arbitrary and unjust and not warranted by the facts in the case is, perhaps, irrelevant, since the order is law. The important thing is that the fine imported bulbs which our company has been accustomed to furnishing you in the past are not available in the United States, anywhere, at any price.

Knowing, however, that you are interested in Narcissus and knowing further that you look to us for late and accurate information concerning any or all horticultural developments, we have investigated American grown bulbs as thoroughly as possible in the time at our disposal. However, the tests of one season cannot be considered conclusive and it will take a number of years before all the facts concerning these bulbs can be known with precision. Narcissus bulbs are being grown in Florida, the Carolinas, Virginia, Maryland, New York, Michigan, Texas, California, Washington and Oregon and, in a lesser degree, in other states; and the bulbs from the several sections have been tested and the results noted.

Narcissus bulbs from some sections proved to be very bad, worse than we feared they might be. On the other hand, bulbs from other sections proved to be surprisingly good; the results comparing very favorably with the results secured from the best imported bulbs. Indeed, from special sections, the results were so good (hat the younger members of this company are rather insistent that we catalogue them with no reservations of any sort and give them our usual guarantee. However, the present reputation and prestige of the Elliott Nursery Company was not built up by recommending materials the qualities of which were not completely proved, and, knowing this fact, I cannot allow these men to have their way.

The Narcissus listed below will be secured from the American sources which tests indicate are producing bulbs of high quality. I believe that they will be satisfactory, nearly, if not quite, as satisfactory as the imported. I know that, at the present time, no finer Narcissus are available in America."

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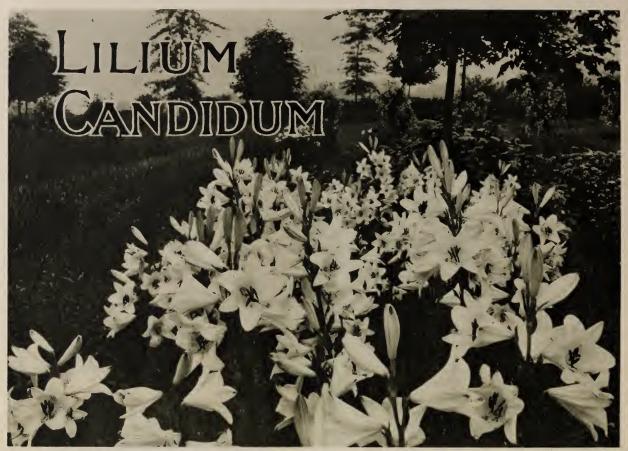
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- Conspicuus (Barrii). Broad primrose petals and elegantly expanded crown, heavily
- stained orange-scarlet, extra fine...... Emperor. This is the largest and finest deep yellow trumpet-flowered Daffodil in cultivation, and is really superb, both in foliage and flower. Either for the garden or for naturalizing, it is one of the very finest varieties and cannot be commended too highly ...
- Golden Spur. This is one of the most valuable of the Trumpet Narcissi, with magnificent, deep yellow trumpet, the brim expanding like Maximum, and large, spreading, full, deep yellow petals. It is free-flowering and splotdid both for bounce surface and out splendid both for house culture and outdoors, and is one of the most desirable varieties for naturalizing. A charming, richly perfumed flower.....
- King Alfred. Uniform golden-yellow. This variety stands as yet unrivalled in size and beauty. Its round fleshy petals, its im-mense, elegantly recurved and beautifully fluted trumpet, its whole sturdy growth, every part of this plant shows its superior-ity. It can be rightly called the King of
- Daffodils. Sir Watkin (Welsh Giant Daffodil). Very large petals of a rich sulphur-yellow, tinged with orange. Immense flowers sometimes 5 inches across. One of the most distinct
- Daffodis. Spring Glory. One of the newer varieties and the best of all the Bicolors. Perianth creamy white, trumpet rich yellow, deli-cately perfumed. Unsurpassed for pot cul-ture on growing outdoors in the garden, or ture or growing outdoors in the garden, or the grass....

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2.00	15.00	
3.75	25.00	
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Narcissus King Alfred



CANDIDUM: THE ANCIENT EASTER LILY

The beautiful and historic Easter Lily needs no introduction here, for although the horticulturists call it Lilium Candidum, it is known all over the world as the Annunciation or Madonna Lily. Notwithstanding its rich beauty, many flower lovers deny themselves this fragrant Lily because of the incorrect belief that it must be planted early in September. At our own Nursery we have planted as many as 10,000 *in November* to get beautiful blooms the following June, when we sold them to wholesale cut-flower buyers for double the price of the original bulbs!

Elliott's Candidum bulbs are really the finest that come to America. We obtain them from both northern and southern France and supply a much larger bulb than it is customary to sell.

· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Each	Doz.	100
Selected bulbs	\$.30	\$3.00	\$20.00
Extra large selected bulbs	.40	3.75	30.00

JAPANESE LILIES

DELICACY is the outstanding feature of everything Japanese, and the Auratum Lily is no exception to this rule. Known as the Gold-banded Lily of Japan, it has a large, graceful, ivory-white flower closely dotted with chocolate-crimson spots; the center striped with golden yellow; a truly gorgeous creation!

Because of transportation difficulties, Japanese Lilies frequently do not arrive in time for Fall planting, in which event we carefully pack them in sand and store them until Spring when they are distributed.

Auratum. Gold-banded Lily of Japan. Larg flowers of delicate ivory-white, closely dotted crimson spots; the center striped golden ye	with cho	ocolate-
July and August. Each	Doz.	100
8 to 9 inches \$.25	\$2.50	
9 to 11 inches		30.00
11 to 13 inches	5.00	
Auratum Platyphyllum. The choicest of all Auratums. Enormous white flow- ers richly spotted yellow. Extra Se- lected Bulbs	7.50	
Longiflorum. Pure white, trumpet- shaped flowers, similar to the Bermuda Easter Lily. Excellent for cutting.		
June and July 6 to 8 inches \$.20	\$1.75	\$12.00
7 to 9 inches	2.75	16.00
7 to 9 inches	5.50	

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	Each	Doz.	100
Speciosum Melpomene. White blooms			
heavily spotted and overlaid with			
crimson. 7 to 9 inches	\$.25	\$2.75	\$19.00
9 to 11 inches	40	4.00	30.00
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Speciosum rubrum, or roseum. Almost			
like Lilium speciosum melpomene.			
7 to 9 inches	.25	2.75	19.00
9 to 11 inches	.40	4.00	30,00
11 to 13 inches	.55	5.50	
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Native & American-grown Lilies

Batemanii. A vigorous sturdy lily grow-
ing from 3 to 4 feet, bearing from 5 to
10 splendid reddish-orange flowers in
July and August
Canadense flavum. The beautiful native
Lily, with graceful, charming yellow
flowers
Canadense rubrum. Similar in all
respects to the preceding variety,
save that the flowers are red
Canadense, mixed. Flowers of various

- Canadense, mixed. Flowers of various shades of yellow, orange and red, spotted with black and brown. Excellent for mass plantings or shrubbery borders, first size Bulbs.....
- Davuricum. Makes a strong growth from two to three feet high and is exceedingly easy to grow. The blooms are in umbels of three to five upright, scarlet flowers, attractively dotted with black, \$0.60....
- Elegans, Leonard Joerg. Rich apricot blooms, attractively spotted and dotted
- Elegans. Mixed colors. An attractive variety of colors suitable for a group planting. Extra selected.....
- Hansonii. Bright orange flowers spotted with brownish purple. Occasionally the bulbs remain dormant the first year after planting, but they will come up vigorously the following season.....
- Henryi. The flowers are dark reddish yellow, marked with small brown spots .75
- Philadelphicum. The plant usually bears two to five upright flowers which are pale yellow, spotted maroon and tipped with bright scarlet, first sized Bulbs
- Tigrinum splendens. Well-known single Tiger Lily. Attractive reddish orange blooms spotted with black, extra large Bulbs.....
- Tigrinum splendens fl.-pl. Double Tiger Lily. Orange red blooms spotted with black. Extra large Bulbs......

LILIUM FORMOSUM

Formosum. Japanese Easter Lily. Ex-		
cellent for forcing or planting outdoors.		
Large, white, trumpet-shaped blooms.		
7 to 9 inches	2.50	16.00

LILIUM HARRISII

(True Bermuda Easter Lily)

These Lilies are suitable for growing in greenhouse only.Bulbs 6 to 7 inches in circumference..202.2515.00Bulbs 7 to 9 inches in circumference..303.2525.00

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.00	Pittsburgh, Pa.
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	Am enclosing order. It would perhaps interest you to know that I
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	J. Wilkinson Elliott Apr. 1888 in the little store room on Sixth St., Pittsburgh, near the
	bridge.
	At least three of those are still blooming in
	my mother's garden at Salem, O. As late as 1896 we still bought from the
	original Book of native water colors which
~~	Mr. Elliott would loan us by mail to choose
00	from.
	Am still as enthusiastic as ever
00	Very truly yours,
00	(Signed) E. W. Harris
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	LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY
	Per 25 100 1,000 American Pips. Ready in October. For
	outdoor planting only. 2 year old pips. \$1.00 \$3.25 \$30.00
00	Extra selected Berlin Pips. Ready in
00	December. For forcing (American pips
	will not force)
	Large clumps. American grown. Ready
	in December. Each \$0.50; dozen \$5.00.
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Lilium Auratum

5% Discount for Cash before July 1st, 1928

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ELLIOTT NURSERY CO., PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA



Lilium Regale

The HARDY REGALE

A Lily for Forcing or Outside Planting

CLOWER fanciers generally consider the Regale the most beautiful of all Lilies, and as a result the limited supply has always been snapped up promptly by the more wealthy buyers. Perseverance, however, has finally resulted in the Elliott Nursery's getting control of a moderate source of supply of Regale bulbs, and although this flower is still somewhat new and rare, we can offer them at a lower price by contracting for the entire output of this particular grower.

·]	Each	Doz.
Selected Bulbs 5-6 inches	.50	5.00
Extra Selected Bulbs 6-8 inches	.65	6.50

SUPERBUM

The Lily That Defies Neglect!

CUPERBUM is unquestionably one of the most satisfactory and unusual Lilies. It can be planted in the garden or the meadows; in wet swamps or dry ground; on the edge of the woods or in cultivated ground. It will thrive wherever you put itand it will grow without care or attention! On top of all this it is truly a superb lily, as its name suggests; it often grows over eight feet high, producing 20 to 30 orange-red flowers in the one month when flowers are apt to be scarce-July.

By virtue of our yearly contract to have 25,000 of these grand Lilies grown especially for us, we are able to offer them at a price low enough to make it available for naturalizing in quantities.

Per Doz. 25 100 Extra Selected Bulbs.... \$2.75 \$5.00 \$18.00 per 500, \$75.00



Lilium Superbum

Elliott's Twice Tested Bulbs Are Safe

TERMS OF PAYMENT, Etc.





YACINTHS, Tulips, Crocuses, etc. The prices quoted in this list on all Dutch Bulbs, Bermuda Lilies and other bulbs are for advance orders, which must reach us not later than July 1, 1928. To make these very low prices, we must have our orders in advance, as we cannot take any risk of having stock unsold on outpands. The

bulbs will be delivered upon arrival, and need not be paid for until after delivery. Prices quoted include duty and all charges, except freight, expressage, or postage, from Pittsburgh. On small lots of bulbs sent by mail, postage will be charged at cost, including insurance.

Bermuda Lilies arrive in August; Roman Hyacinths, TIME OF DELIVERY: Freesias, Canadum Lilies and Paper-White Narcissi in September; Dutch Bulbs, Hyacinths, Tulips,

etc., in October. In ordering please state whether you wish your bulbs shipped as they arrive or all in one shipment. In absence of instructions, we will send all bulbs in one shipment, except

Japanese Lilies and Lily-of-the-Valley, which will be shipped upon arrival, in November, December, or the following Spring. Transportation conditions are still sp unsettled that we cannot guarantee time of delivery, but in the event of the delivery, northern orders will be shipped first, and extreme southern ones last.

Please send full shipping instructions. State whether goods are to be SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS: shipped by express or parcel post, and by what route. In the absence of instructions, we will stip by whatever method and route we think best.

Please print your name and address on your order. Mone times it is exceedingly difficult to read these two important points of an order, and a shipment may go astray.

TERMS OF Our terms of payment are invariably cash on delivery, which does not mean that **PAYMENT:** we ship C.O.D., as we will not do so under any circumstances. We deliver the goods and mail bills at the same time, and expect payment within a few days.

goods and mail bills at the same bine, and expect payment within a few days. People unknown to us will please and references with their orders. Those who wish to send cash in advance with their orders will be allowed a discount of five per cent. from the prices quoted on this list on all orders made up from this catalog, received before July 1, 1928. **GUARANTEE:** We guarantee all trees, should, plants, and bulbs furnished by us to be first class, and true to name. We do not guarantee stock to grow, or results in any way. No complaint will be entertained that is not made immediately upon receipt of stock. There are so many causes for failure over which we have no control that we can assume no responsibility after stock is delivered in good order. Poor soil, unfavorable weather, ignorant or careless culture, all contribute to failure, and are all beyond our control.

EARLY The earlier orders are given, the better we can have them filled. Some of our cus-ORDERS: tomers are now giving us orders to be delivered next Spring. Our representative usually sals for Europe early in June and personally selects the stock for all import

orders received by July 1st. **PRICES:** Six plants of a kind will be furnished at the dozen rate; fifty or more at the hundred

rate, and five hundred or more at the thousand rate. Less than six plants of one kind or variety will be sold only at the single rate.

CANCELLATIONS: No request for cancellation can be granted after July 10th, when the final orders are sent to Holland.

Import orders taken subject to the failure of the crop.

With each shipment of bulbs we send printed cultural directions, giving full **CULTURAL DIRECTIONS:** instructions for growing in the house as well as outdoors.

PARCEL Bulbs and plants can now be sent by parcel post, and when it is advantageous we POST: always do so.

Glorify Your Garden with Lovely DELPHINIUM

(Perennial Larkspur)

Knee high! Head high! Ladder high! Stately— Exquisite— Wonderful! Perennial Larkspur Most beautiful of plants



B LOOMING all summer, coming up year after year, sending aloft successive shafts of incredible color to a height of five, six, eight feet—it is doubtful if any other plant so superb as Delphinium ever graced a garden.

Few people are aware of the perfection to which this ancient flower has been brought by modern culture, how easily it can be planted and grown, and how lasting a delight the gardener secures who plants Delphinium. If everyone knew, tall, hardy Delphinium would be more in evidence everywhere.

We offer specially selected plants grown from seeds of famous named varieties for autumn planting. Will grow anywhere but do best in rich garden soil. Every imaginable tint and shade of blue, lavender, and purple. We promise you'll find positive joy in their extraordinary bloom. Directions—few and simple—with each shipment.

Elliott's Magnificent Varieties

Improved English Hybrids—Range in color from very light blue to very dark blue, overlaid irregularly with tones of pink and lavender, rose, and lilac. Black spots on pistil and antlers at center of flower. Many blossoms show white secondary petals of white spots at bases of major petals. A wonderful wealth of color variation in the English Hybrids.

Fine Mixed English Hybrids—Dozen Strong Plants \$2.50, Fifty Strong Plants \$7.50, One Hundred Strong Plants \$15.00. Extra-Selected Varieties, each .50 cents. \$5.00 per dozen.

Belladonna—Uniform light sky-blue. The most universally admired and desired of the solid-color varieties.

\$2.50 per dozen, \$7.50 per 50, \$15.00 per 100

Bellamosa—(The improved Formosum)—For solid dark blue color, unequalled among Delphiniums— positively the best.

\$2.50 per dozen, \$7.50 per 50, \$15.00 per 100

"And larkspurs, many hued, shall drive Gloom from the groves!"

